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WON THE FIRST PRIZE AND WILL TAKE A COURSE AT THE NORMAL.

In the prize voting contest that has been carried on for several months past by the Harrisburg *Patriot*, Miss Clara Lavina Lynch of Harrisburg won the first prize, which is a scholarship in the Bloomsburg Normal School for one year's tuition and board. Their were 168,884 votes sent in, and Miss Lynch received 58,685.

Miss Alice Hepford of Harrisburg received 47,375 votes, and gets second prize, an organ. Miss Mary A. Alleman, of the same city, received 35,380 votes, and takes third prize, a set of books. The other contestants ranged from 4151, down to 120 The *Patriot* says of the young lady who will attend the Normal.

"Clara Lavina Lynch is a native of this city and has just passed her eighteenth year. Emerging from babyhood she showed a taste for learning. At an early age she developed an aptitude for teaching and in many of her pleasures and pastimes with her playmates she assumed the role of instructor while they were her pupils. At the age of fourteen she entered the High school where she pursued the classical course.

One black cloud fell upon her life during her school days, the death of her father, which occurred when she was in her ninth year. She was graduated April 19, last, from the High School, one of a class of fifty-eight which has the reputation of being one of the brightest, taken as a whole, that has ever been turned out from that school. "The class motto, *Semper Discens*," said Miss Lynch to a *Patriot* representative, "I have also chosen as my own motto and after my course at the Normal school is finished I will not consider my studies at an end but, in the spirit of the motto, will press on to greater advancement and higher spheres of knowledge."

A SUBSTITUTE FOR ICE.

A CHICAGO MAN SAID TO HAVE PUT THE ICEMAN OUT OF COURT.

Chicago has been interested this week by some experiments with a new chemical compound designed to take the place of ice. The chemical costs twenty cents a pound. It is placed in the ice box of a refrigerator, a small amount of water is added to cause it to dissolve; the refrigerator is then closed and cold results immediately.

The inventor says that the compound contains eleven ingredients and the formula is a secret. The mixture is light pink in color, and is in the form of crystals like coarse salt. It is said to be perfectly harmless and has an alkaline taste. When moistened it instantly becomes intensely cold. This effect lasts twenty-four hours, or until the crystals are entirely dissolved. Then it is placed on a fire and "boiled down" until the water evaporates and the crystals are left in their original form. It is then ready for use again by simply adding fresh water. It is asserted that the chemicals lose none of their properties by the process, and that the crystals can be used for years.

During the Chicago tests ice was frozen to the thickness of window glass in a few minutes, and the thickness of two or three inches in less than six hours. The experiments were successful in every way, and ice dealers ought to be particularly interested in them. There is little doubt that before many years a refrigerating apparatus will be devised by which houses may be cooled in summer as easily as they are now warmed in winter. The new refrigerating compound may be an important factor in the solution of this problem.

The Wilkes-Barre *Record* has learned on the best of authority that the county commissioners signed the order for the second $10,000 for architect Myers on account of the court house plans. It is said that the architect demanded the order according to the terms of the ironbound contract the commissioners signed. As the county treasurer has stated that he will not recognize any such order until a site is secured and the court authorizes the approval of the contract, it is quite probable that Mr. Myers will proceed against the county for the payment of the money. The contract says he is entitled to it as soon as he delivers the completed plans and specifications, which he has already done. Developments are anxiously awaited.

If you will send your orders over the telephone to Rishton's Drug store, he will deliver your goods and save your going out, this hot weather. 2t.

SHENANDOAH FIRE SWEPT.

PROPERTY OWNERS LOSE $100,000 AND THERE IS LITTLE INSURANCE.

Shortly before 1 o'clock Saturday morning a fire broke out in Shenandoah in the business portion of the town and before the flames were extinguished fully a hundred thousand dollars worth of property was destroyed.

The fire started in a two story frame building, a portion of which was occupied by the "Herald" Printing Company as a printing office, and the remainder by C. E. Pitman as a stable. It was in the most thickly settled portion of the town and all the buildings in the block being frame it was with the greatest difficulty the fire was got under control. This was not accomplished until almost the whole square had been destroyed.

The principal losers are Charles E. Titman, the "Herald" Printing Company, Martin Heisenberger, James McElhenny, Otto Caris, Gerlach Dornbach, Adam Taber and Charles Radziewicz. The latter is probably the heaviest loser. He conducted a general store and had a stock of goods valued at $15,000. The aggregate losses will reach fully $100,000, upon which the insurance does not exceed $10,000.

The ground burned over was swept by fire in November, 1884.

Trinity Reformed Church Notes.

Children's Day will be observed in Trinity Reformed Church by the Sunday School on next Sunday evening.

The services will begin at 6:30 o'clock sharp. An elaborate programme has been prepared, and the church will be nicely decorated. Rev. Rufus W. Miller, of Reading, Pa. Secretary of the Sunday School Board of the Reformed Church will be present and take part in the exercises. Rev. Miller will also preach in the morning. A pressing invitation is given to everybody to attend both of these services.

On Thursday June 20th the Executive Committee of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Reformed Church will meet in Trinity Reformed Church.

A Missionary meeting will be held in the evening. Addresses will be made by Rev. Wm. E. Hoy, missionary from Japan, and Rev. J. H. Prugh, D. D. of Pittsburg, who lately returned from a trip to Palestine. These addresses will be interesting and instructive, and all should hear them. You are cordially invited irrespective of denominational relations.

Pennsylvania Odd Fellows.

The Odd Fellows Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania in its annual report just issued shows the present membership in Pennsylvania to be 107,708, and the total amount paid out for relief during the past year to have been $580,962,96. The grand secretary's report also showed the membership of the Daughters of Rebeka to be 10,747—4,063 brothers and 6,693 sisters. The total amount paid for relief during the year was $4,473,02. The report of Grand Treasurer M. Richards Muckle showed the receipts during the year to have been $27,-301,14. In addition to the receipts there was a balance on hand from the previous year of $10,367,78. The report of the committee on finance showed that the total assets of the grand lodge on May 1, when all accounts were balanced, were $30,047,-00. The total revenue for the coming year is estimated at $25,307.

More Culm Suits.

Eleven hundred suits were brought against the various mining companies at Sunbury last week by farmers whose lands are alleged to have been ruined by culm being washed over them. The claims aggregate $100,000. The Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Co., the Lehigh Valley Coal Co., Lewis A. Riley & Co., and all the individual operators along the Mahanoy Creek, are involved in these suits.

It Looks Like no Fair,

It looks very much as if the annual fair of the Mahanoy Valley Fair association at Lavelle, will not be held this fall. There is a hitch in the management some where that has stopped all progress so far, and from what we hear the gentlemen are not likely to get together. Several meetings that were called lately to discuss plans etc., have been flat failures.—*Ashland Advocate.*

A purse containing thirty-four cents was left in the post-office on Saturday. The owner can have it by calling there.

GREAT FOREST FIRES.

ABOUT ONE HUNDRED OIL RIGS, WITH THEIR TANKS, &C., HAVE BEEN DESTROYED AND THE FIRES CONTINUE.

RUSSELL CITY NEARLY LOST.

BRADFORD, PA., June 4.—The forest fires that have been raging throughout this section for several days and destroying many oil rigs and an immense amount of lumber and property, are still burning. Perhaps 100 oil rigs have been destroyed, with tanks, &c., in proportion. It is reported that Russell City has been wiped out entirely. The residents escaped by flagging a freight train. working all night the fires in this immediate vicinity were checked, but the sky is overhung with dense smoke, and in every direction. lurid clouds can be seen rolling over the hills. Bradford is in no danger, but enormous losses have been sustained both north and south of here, as far south as Elk County. It is the worst fire ever known in this section because of its extent. Everything is dry as tinder and the flames sweep with almost race horse speed. Gangs of men are working in relays night and day, but nature is nearly exhausted and unless rain comes soon the damage will be almost incalculable.

Since the above was in type the rain has quenched the fires.

THE BLOOMSBURG CORNET BAND.

The popularity of this organization and the excellence of its music is well attested by the large crowds that gather to hear the concerts in front of the Court House. It is organized under a charter and has been in existence for many years, though there have been numerous changes in membership. Recently some new young blood has been infused into its veins, with good results. Under Mr. Blair marked progress was made, and now under the direction of F. N. Turner they have reached a point where Bloomsburg may well be proud of its band.

The present membership is as follows: F. N. Turner, director, Mr. McHenry, solo cornet, William Pursell, first cornet, William Rauch, second cornet, T. L. Gunton. third cornet, Frank Miller, flute and pic colo, H. G. Eshleman, first clarionette, William Foulk, second, Frank Hower, third, B. L. Eshleman, fourth, William Brown, solo alto, Joseph Rehm, first alto, G. W. Moyer, second, James Reaser, third, George Knorr, Baritone, John Fox, first bass, Elmer Milheim, tuba, William Knorr, first tenor, J. Rehm, second. James Rauch, third, Wesley Shutt, bass drum, C. B. Gunton, snare drum, J. Eyerly, symbals.

Wesley Shutt and T. L. Gunton are among the oldest members, having been connected with the band for many years.

Burglars.

Last week Thursday night several places were entered by burglars, but in no instance did they get anything of much value. At I. W. Hartman's residence his pants were taken from his bedroom where he was sleeping, and were found in the alley next morning. The thief got 35 cents. At the Club House a noise was heard about half past one, and David Bouton, the steward, went down stairs and saw a man getting out of the window, and four more outside. He didn't capture any of them. A. Z. Schoch's residence was also entered, but nothing was taken, as they must have been frightened away. The papers all over the country are filled with reports of burglaries and it is therefore wise for everbody to see that their houses are securely locked.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS.

The members of the class of '95 of the High school have successfully passed their examinations, and will graduate on June 13th. The exercises will be held in the Opera House. The class consists of Mira Moyer, Grace Krum, Annie Brockway, Mazie Kunkle, Clara Fornwald, Susie Shutt, Elizabeth Hummel, Jennie Trench, Margaret Freeze, Minnie Terwilliger, Martha Brugler, Harry S. Keller, Curtis Weiliver, William Webb, Harry Laubach, H. Robison Moyer, Stephen Reice and Harry Kline.

The Banks of Bloomsburg, have decided, during the summer months, to conform to the law making Saturday a half holiday, commencing Saturday June 15th and will close on that day and thereafter including Oct. 1st at one o'clock. Depositors will do well to observe this. 5-31-3t

BRIEF MENTION.

About People You Know.

Geo. K. Weeks is atteading a business college at Oswego, N. Y.

Miss Sade Sloan is visiting Mrs. Russel Andreas at Wilkes-Barre.

C. P. Girton has accepted a position with the Deering Machine Co., as salesman.

E. J. Moyer and Cleatus Jones are assisting in this office at present, as compositors.

Dr. G. P. Waller and family have taken rooms in Mrs. Worthington's house for the summer.

J. B. Robison Esq., and son Boyd took a trip up the creek this week on a fishing excursion.

J. J. Brower took in the excursion to Bellefonte on Wednesday to attend the centennial celebration.

Harry F. Sharpless and wife are expected home about the 11th of this month. They reside in Pueblo, Colorado.

H. A. McKillip Esq., has been appointed Grand Marshal of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Pennsylvania.

W. L. Eyerly was called to Williamsport on Wednesday by a telegram which said that his father, Michael F. Eyerly, was dying.

Dr. M. J. and G. W. Hess and their families spent Sunday at Mifflinville with their parents, to partake of the annual family dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Elwell of Towanda, came down on Saturday to visit their relation. The former returned on Monday, but Mrs. Elwell is still here.

W. J. Bidleman is attending the sessions of the General Synod of the Lutheran Church at Hagerstown, Maryland, this week. He is a deputy from St. Matthew's Lutheran Church of this town.

PARISH HOUSE FESTIVAL.

An ice cream and strawberry festival will be held in St. Paul's Parish House this Friday evening, under the auspices of the choir. A liberal patronage is solicited. Admission free, everybody is invited.

ONE ROSE PAYS THE RENT.

HUNDREDS WILL GATHER AT MANHEIM TO SEE THE UNIQUE CEREMONY.

That unique event, the "Feast of Roses," will occur at Manheim, Pa. next Sunday. This peculiar ceremony, though it has been celebrated in June for scores of years, attracts hundreds of strangers to that peaceful borough. So next Sunday the congregation of Zion Lutheran Church will pay the ground rent upon which the edifice stands by laying upon the altar one red rose.

Baron Henry William Stiegel founded Manheim more than a century ago. He presented a plot of ground to the Zion Lutheran Church and stipulated that all it should cost would be one red rose every June. Hence the unique ceremony.

The rose is plucked by a certain member of the congregation, and it is laid with great solemnity upon the altar. There are special religious services held on that day. The life and virtues of the generous Baron are retold, hymns are sung and prayers said.

If next Sunday shall be a fine day a great crowd of people will assemble at Zion Church to see the sacred rose. Usually, however, bushels of roses are sent to the altar, although one is enough legally to cancel the rental.

The Decoration Day parade was a very creditable one. It was headed by C. P. Sloan, chief marshal, and his aids Lutz and Jones, followed by the Bloomsburg Cornet Band, Ent Post, No. 250 G. A. R., Sons of Veterans. Gilmore's Band, W. C. No. 319 P. O. S. of A., Jr. O. U. A. M., Friendship Fire Co. and the Boys' Brigade. They marched from Market Square to the Normal School where they were joined by the Philologian and Calliepian Societies, and thence to Rosemont Cemetery.

Arrangements are completed to have Mrs. J. W. Barnes, president of the Primary Teachers' Union, of Newark N. J., at Millville on Sunday June 16. In the morning she will give primary instruction, in the evening she will give a talk on "Improvments in Primary Class Work" in the Lutheran church. All Sunday School teachers and workers are invited to come and hear her- Mrs. Barnes is sent here by the State Sabbath School Association which has her employed. A collection will be taken for the State Association.

The lecture by Charles Emory Smith, at the Normal last Friday evening was very interesting and instructive. The only drawback to the pleasure of the occasion was the intense heat. Mr. Smith spent several years in Russia as Minister of the United States, and he thoroughly understands his subject.

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Whose buoyant heart rebels
At that dry monotone of joy
In lengthy prayer that dwells;
He hears God not in droning words,
But in the joyous songs and birds.

Think not to keep those merry eyes
Upturned with solemn stare—
They show the gleam of summer skies,
God's wisdom planted there;
Their twinkling flash, their wayward mirth,
Display the sweetest joys of earth.

Then humble not his boyish pride,
Nor teach, with spirit rash,
That love is but a narrow stride
From prayer to swinging lash;
That boys—to have their sins forgiven—
Must e'er be mauled along to heaven.

A tender smile, a word of cheer,
A prayer sincere—but brief,
Will banish every boyish fear,
And close the door to grief;
Remember, in your solemn joy,
That you were once an awful boy!

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE CAPTAIN'S WIFE.

"Speaking of women," said the mate, "no man respects women more than I do. My mother was a woman, sir! and I make no doubt yours was a woman, too."

I admitted that the mate's surmise was correct.

"Well, sir! having said what I have, you won't misunderstand me when I say that the one thing I can't stand is a woman aboard ship. Give me corpses, and parsons and lunatics every day in the year sooner than women. A woman, when she's aboard ship, is either sick, in which case she expects the whole ship's company to do nothing but wait upon her, or she isn't sick, in which case she is interfering with everything and getting in everybody's way."

"Yet there was a woman," I remarked, "a captain's wife, who took command of the ship when her husband died, and brought her into port."

"I've heard that yarn," the mate replied, "ever since I first went to sea, and I believed it once, when I didn't know any better.

"But to come back to what I was talking about. Were you ever shipwrecked in company with a woman. Well, you can be thankful you were not. It's bad enough to have to abandon your ship and take to the boats when you're a thousand miles from land and your chances of being picked up is about one in a thousand; but if you have to take a woman in the boat with you it's just—I beg your pardon, sir! and I won't use such language again. But it aggravates me to think of the experience I once had with a woman in a boat.

"I was mate of a big clipper ship in the China trade at the time I am telling you of. She was the Chariot of the Seas and most of us like you remember her. She was a smart ship, but about as uncomfortable a one as a man ever set his foot aboard.

"The captain's name was McConigle, and he was a Scotchman, and he took his wife with him. I wouldn't have shipped if I had known that there was to be a woman in the cabin, but I naturally didn't find it out until we came to sail.

"The captain was about as hard and about as mean as they make 'em, so far as the crew were concerned, but I am free to say that he always treated me well, and was the most sociable man I ever sailed with. What was curious, however, was that he had mighty little to say to his wife. Neither of them seemed to care a straw for the other, and at first I couldn't understand why he took her with him, when he might have left her ashore.

"She was a handsome woman. She was young, being, as I should judge, about twenty-five, and she carried more sail in the way of high spirits than any sober woman I ever knew. She was always laughing and singing and making jokes with the captain and me though she couldn't ever get a smile out of him.

"On the contrary, when she tried a joke on him he would look so grim that you couldn't have hoisted a smile out of him even with the steam winch. I mistrusted the woman from the first. And then, before we had been a week out of London she began making eyes at me—at least, as far as I could judge.

"As you might suppose, I had very little to do with the woman. Of course, I treated her politely, she being a woman, and being also the captain's wife, but I never let her come to anchor alongside of me if I could help it.

"I couldn't help finding, out, however, that she and her husband led a cat and dog life, and that she was about as miserable as a woman can be, in spite of her jokes and her singing. That made me all the more shy of her, for an unhappy married woman is more dangerous than a cargo of gunpowder.

"It so happened that when the captain judged it was time to put the ship to the westward, and double the Horn, a heavy easterly gale came up, with thick snow and the glass falling, not quick, you understand, but slow and steady. There was ice in the neighborhood, too, for we sighted two icebergs to the southward of us about daybreak.

"'There are some men, Mr. Smith,' says the captain to me, 'who would shorten sail and try to keep a lookout for ice. Now that isn't my style. I don't like ice any better than any other man does, but so long as I can't see it I don't worry over it.

"'There is no good in keeping a lookout for ice when you couldn't see an iceberg till your flying jibboom fouled it, and if she's going to strike an iceberg, she'll do it under her topsails just as soon as she will with her top gallant sails.

"'If there's an iceberg in the road it won't get out of the way for us, and we can't get out of the way for it, so the only thing to do is to just slam the ship right through till we get clear weather again.'

"Excepting the steward and the captain's wife, and the cook and the men at the wheel, all hands were under the lee of the long boat, and the second mate was smoking in the door of the caboose. All at once the old man says: 'I'll go below now, Mr. Smith, and you'll call me if there is any change in the weather.'

"With that he started to go below, but on second thoughts turned and went forward. He had reached the caboose, and stood there talking with the second mate, whose name was Ramsey, when there came a splintering crash, as the flying jibboom struck an iceberg fair and square, and in another second the ship struck with a force that threw me flat on the deck.

"Before I could pick myself up all three masts went, the foremast and mainmast going just below the futtuck shrouds, and carrying the mizzen topmast to keep them company.

"I ran forward to see what damage had been done to the ship, but I didn't need to look twice to see that her bows were stove in below the water line, and that she hadn't many minutes to float.

"Then I looked for the captain, and found him and more than half the crew lying dead under the mainmast that had crushed them, and the second mate as well.

"I told the men to clear away one of the quarter boats, and put a breaker of water in her, and then I jumped below and got a bag of biscuits and told the steward to bring anything to eat he could lay his hand on.

"I rushed up the companionway and found the captain's wife in the boat holding on to one of the falls, and ordering the men to wait for me with a pistol in her right hand.

"There were six men, besides myself and the captain's wife, in our boat, and seven men in the other boat. Each boat had a breaker of water, but all provisions were aboard my boat, so I gave the others one of our two bags of biscuits, and telling them to keep within hail of us, we pulled away from the wreck, so as to be clear of her when she went into her flurry.

"We lost sight of the other boat before we had been rowing ten minutes, and nothing was ever heard or seen of her afterward.

"There was no use in trying to land on Terra del Fuego, for we were better off in the boat than we would have been on a deserted island, with nothing to eat except ourselves, and a lot of savages standing by to eat us.

"So I told the men we would keep on to the westward, and that as soon as we got into the Pacific we should have fine weather and be sure to be picked up by somebody.

"I don't think the captain's wife and I had spoken since the boats cast off. She naturally sat in the stern sheets with me, and she knew that her husband had been killed without my telling her about it.

"When we had shook ourselves down in the boat and were beginning to be comfortable I says to her: 'This ain't the sort of yachting trip that is suited to you, ma'am; but it won't last long, and we must just make the best of it.'

"'It's heaven compared with that ship,' said she. 'This is the first happy moment I've known since we sailed from London.'

"We didn't say any more for the next hour, and then she told me that she was used to steering a boat and that when I wanted to sleep she would take the tiller.

"Toward night the snow stopped falling and the weather cleared off beautiful. The wind went down, too, and I told the men they might knock off rowing and turn in, and that the lady and I would look after the boat.

"It wasn't long before the men were asleep, and I was finding it pretty hard to keep my eyes open. All at once the woman says, 'Your name is Tom, isn't it?'

"'That's what I was christened and that's the name in my discharges,' says I.

"'My name is Mary,' she continued. 'I want you to call me Mary and I'll call you Tom. It's too ridiculous for shipwrecked people to go on calling one another Mr. This and Mrs. That.'

"'Very good, ma'am,' says I.

"'And now, Tom,' said she, 'I want you to go to sleep. I'm not sleepy, and you are. Give me the helm and I'll call you if anything happens.'

"I'm not goin' to give you a regular log of every hour aboard that boat. We had pleasant weather for three or four days, by which time, I judged, we were fairly round the Horn, and so I put her head to the nor'rard.

"All that time we never saw a sail, and at the end of three days the biscuit was nearly all gone, so that we had come down to an allowance of about an inch square for each man.

"Mary and I had got pretty well acquainted during the three days. You can't sit next to a good looking woman all day in an open boat and sleep with your head in her lap, and have her sleeping with her head on your shoulder without getting to know her middling well.

"I don't suppose there is any harm in my telling you that she regularly made love to me, and, what is the most curious part of the whole thing, she really meant it. Why, she proposed to me that after we were picked up and reached port we should be married.

"'Thank you, ma'am,' says I, 'for your good opinion, but the fact is I'm already married.

"'But not to a woman that you have been cast away with in an open boat. Besides, I know you don't care for your wife, and if you don't care for me now you will in time.'

"The fourth day the men turned out stiff and hungry and savage, and after talking a little while among themselves one of them spoke up and said that they had resolved that I should serve out the bottle of rum that I had kept hid in the stern sheets, and that after that they would let me know what they intended to do.

"'You shall have it,' said Mary. 'Wait a bit and I'll get the cork out.'

"So saying she turned her back to them and was busy with the bottle for a minute before she handed it over to the men. 'I'm afraid,' she said, 'that it may not agree with you, considering how little you've eaten, but if you insist on it I suppose you must have it.'

"Within half an hour after the men had emptied the bottle they began to complain of terrible pains and pretty soon they were all rolling in the bottom of the boat in agony. Before night every blessed one of them was dead and Mary and I had hove them over board.

"I smelt the bottle and I smelt strychnine. How it got into the bottle I didn't know and I didn't try to know.

"After that we were alone in the boat, and, considering there was only two of us, I was able to serve out enough biscuit every day to keep us from actual suffering, though, of course, we were always pretty hungry.

"Mary seemed as happy as a bird. She sang to me and cooed around me and did her level best to make me love her.

"Two days after we were left alone I went to the breaker to draw some water and I found that it had nearly all leaked out. I found the leak and stopped it, but there wasn't more than a gill of water left in the boat.

"For the first time since we left the wreck the woman seemed to grow serious and she asked me several times how long a man could live without water and how long we could make the gill of water last.

"I told her and then laid down for a nap. When I woke up I was lying on a pillow made of her shawl she used to wear around her shoulders. But Mary was gone and that's the last I ever heard of her.

"I understood in a minute what she had done. I had told her that perhaps one man might live on a gill of water for three or four days and she had gone overboard so as there should not be but one mouth to be wet with water.

"Yes, as I was saying, women are a nuisance at sea, but when I saw that poor woman's shawl folded so careful under my head and saw that she was gone I wished that it had been me instead of her."—Boston Globe.

THE BABY WOULDN'T CRY.

How Edison Finally Secured the Phonographic Record of Its Woe.

Here is a story they tell over the teacups in Orange, N. J., where Edison lives:

The phonograph came to the Edison laboratory and the first baby to the Edison home about the same time, and when the baby was old enough to say "Goo-goo" and pull the great inventor's hair in a most disrespectful manner, the phonograph was near enough to perfection to capture the baby talk for preservation among the family archives. So Mr. Edison filled up several rolls with these pretty inarticulations and laid them carefully away.

But this was not sufficient. The most picturesque thing about the baby's utterances was its crying, and the record of this its fond father determined to secure. How it would entertain him in his old age, he thought, to start the phonograph a-going and hear again the baby wails of his first-born.

So one afternoon Mr. Edison tore himself from his work and climbed the big hill leading to his house. He went in a great hurry, for he is a man who grudges every working moment from his labor. A Workman followed at his heels carrying the only phonograph that at that time had been sufficiently completed to accomplish really good results.

Reaching home and the nursery Mr. Edison started the phonograph and brought the baby in front of it. But the baby didn't cry. Mr. Edison tumbled the youngster about and rumpled its hair, and did all sorts of things, but still the baby didn't cry. Then he made dreadful faces, but the baby thought they were funny, and crowed joyously. So back to the laboratory went Mr. Edison in a very unpleasant frame of mind, for the baby's untimely good humor had cost him an hour of work. The phonograph was also taken back.

But he did not give up. The next afternoon he went home again, and the phonograph with him. But if the baby was goodnatured the day before, this time it was absolutely cherubic. There was nothing at all that its father could do that did not make the baby laugh. Even the phonograph itself, with its tiny, whirring wheels, the baby thought was meant for its special entertainment, and gurgled joyously. So back to work the inventor went again, with a temper positively ruffled. The next day and the next he tried it, but all to no purpose. The baby would not cry, even when waked suddenly from sleep.

But to baffle Edison is only to inflame his determination, which, by the way, is one of the secrets of his success. So at length, after much thought, he made a mighty resolve. It took a vast amount of determination on his part to screw himself up to the point of committing the awful deed, but he succeeded at last, and one morning when he knew his wife was down town, he went quietly home with the phonograph and stole into the nursery, where the baby greeted him with customary glee.

Starting the machine Mr. Edison ordered the nurse to leave the room. Then he took the baby on his knee and bared its chubby little leg. He took the tender flesh between his thumb and finger, clenched his teeth, shut his eyes tight and made ready to—yes, actually to pinch the baby's leg.

But just at the fateful moment the nurse peeped through the door, and perceiving the horrid plot flounced in and rescued the baby in the nick of time.

Mr. Edison breathed a mighty sigh of relief as he gathered up the phonograph and went back to the laboratory. He then gave up the project of phonographing the baby's crying.

But not long afterward he accomplished his purpose after all, and quite unexpectedly, too. As soon as the baby was old enough to "take notice" its doting mother took it down to the laboratory one sunny day, and when the big machinery was started a-roaring, the baby screwed up its face, opened its mouth and emitted a series of woeful screams that made Mr. Edison leap to his feet.

"Stop the machinery and start the phonograph!" he shouted, the record of his baby's crying was then and there accomplished.—New York Herald.

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HARRISBURG LETTER.

This Is the Last Week of the Present Legislative Session.

THE QUAY COUNTY BILL WILL PASS

The Female Teachers Have Not Given Up the Fight for Equal Pay with Men Teachers — The Porter School Bill Has No Chance for Passage.

(Special Correspondence.)

HARRISBURG, June 3.—The close of this week will see the close of the state legislature. The legislators have been working day and night the past two weeks, preparing for the final adjournment. In the house nearly all the appropriation bills have been passed. The house appropriation committee has cleared its calendar of house bills, and at its meeting today the senate measures will be taken up for final consideration. The legislators will get very little rest from now until the close of the session. The calendars are loaded with bills, many of which can never be reached. This is especially the case with the house. The senate is up with its work and has nothing to do but consider measures messaged to it from the lower branch of the legislature.

The Quay county bill will be called up in the house tomorrow for final passage. Senator Quay is anxious that the bill shall pass, and there seems to be no doubt but that it will go through by a comfortable majority.

The general appropriation bill will be passed finally this afternoon in the house. The bill has already gone through second reading, and is now in the appropriations committee to be perfected. There will be a fierce fight in the senate over the proposition to reduce the school appropriation $1,000,000 for the next two years. It was intended to report the bill from the house committee with an item giving the schools $11,000,000, but this plan has been abandoned. The program is to attempt to scale down the appropriation in the senate and then send the bill to a conference committee.

The Beer Tax Bill.

The Cochrane beer bill, taxing brewers twenty-four cents a barrel of thirty-one gallons for all malt liquors brewed in the state, will come up in the senate this week for final passage. There is much objection to the measure in its present form, and it will probably be amended so as to give the auditor general authority to appoint collectors to sell stamps to the brewers and enforce the law.

The state conference bill, which makes a complete change in the state revenue system, is still in the hands of the senate. The fate of the bill cannot be predicted. On the surface there is no serious opposition to the measure, yet it is the general impression of those who have given the matter attention that the bill will never go through the senate.

The religious garb bill will come up in the house this afternoon for concurrence in the senate amendment which places the penalty for violation of the proposed act upon the school directors employing teachers who wear any religious garb or insignia in the school room, and not upon the teachers themselves. The friends of the measure have no fault to find with the change, and the bill will go through with practically no opposition.

There will be a conference between a joint committee from the senate and house on the two judicial apportionment bills. The house bill is not to the liking of the senators, while the representatives will have nothing to do with the senate measure. The result will likely be that the committee will not be able to agree on a bill satisfactory to both branches of the legislature and that there will be no change in the present judicial districts.

The time of the house during the remainder of the session will be taken up in considering appropriation and senate bills and the reports of conference committees.

Talk of an Extra Session.

With the defeat of apportionment there is renewed talk of the possibility of the governor calling an extra session for legislation on that subject and to consider the question of revenue, as it is almost an assured fact that no revenue bill will be passed this session. In view of the depleted condition of the treasury there are few who seriously expect such a movement on the part of the governor, as the present legislature has clearly indicated that it wants no opposition.

The appropriation bills are all in excellent shape and can easily be passed in time. The general appropriation bill has passed second reading in the house, and by this evening it will be ready to go to the senate. After today the senate will consider only house bills and the house only senate bills.

A bill which, if passed, will be worth over $100,000 to the city of Philadelphia is now hanging fire in the senate, having passed the house. Under the present law the state pays one-half the cost of maintaining the indigent insane of the various counties in the state hospitals. When the counties have more indigent insane than can be cared for at the state hospitals they have to care for them themselves. Outside of Philadelphia the number of indigent insane supported entirely by the counties is very small. Philadelphia, however, has 1,300 patients in the Norristown Asylum and supports in addition 1,100 patients in the county asylum. If the state pays one-half the maintenance of some of the indigent insane, Superintendent Lawrence, of the Philadelphia Almshouse, contends she should help support all, and he has drawn the pending bill to meet that point. It provides that a county shall be credited with payment for as many patients in the state hospitals as she cares for herself.

Senator Quay as a Peacemaker.

The visit of Senator Quay has had wonderful effect in clearing the legislative atmosphere, and there will now be no trouble whatever in winding up by Friday night, so as to adjourn finally at noon on Saturday. The calendar, too, will be nearer cleaned up than at any time for years, and the indications are that no important bill will go down in the final crash. The apportionment bugaboo is safely out of the way, the intermediate court bill is through the house and likely to pass the senate with but little trouble since Senator Quay has come out in its favor, and the Quay county bill is also in a fair way of becoming a law. This practically removes all the bills over which big fights were expected, as the judges' retirement bill is not likely ever to see the light of day again in the senate. President Pro Tem. Thomas says he has it on the best authority that the governor would veto the bill should it ever reach him. Under those conditions the country members do not want to take any risk by voting for the bill only to have it negatived by the governor.

Friends of Senator Quay say he is likely soon to transfer his residence from the western to the eastern end of the state. He recently purchased from Judge Pennypacker the historic Moore Hall, near Phœnixville, which originally belonged to one of Senator Quay's ancestors. The place is rich in historic associations and many distinguished revolutionary heroes and statesmen have been entertained beneath its roof, and George Washington has slept there more than once. The place is admirably located on a slight elevation about two miles out of Phœnixville. The old family associations, with its natural advantages in the way of railroad facilities, location, etc., are believed to have induced Senator Quay to select it as his permanent home.

The male and female teachers of Philadelphia will lock horns before the senate committee on education tomorrow evening over the Seyfert bill to equalize the salaries of the two classes of teachers. The women stated their case last week, and the men are to have the chance to give their reasons why the women should not get as much money as they, when they do exactly the same work. The female teachers are plucky, and they don't want the men to say anything without having the chance of contradicting them, and they will again be on hand tomorrow night to look after their interests.

No Chance for the Porter School Bill.

The people who are anxious to have the Porter school bill, abolishing the sectional school boards, passed at this session might as well make up their minds to be disappointed. The bill will never get out of committee, where it has been buried for a month or more. Only one more day remains in which a bill could be reported from committee and have any chance at all of being passed. With the opposition to this bill it could never, however, be put through, even if reported, which it never will be.

Legislation visitors to Harrisburg have been treated to the unusual sight of a trolley funeral. The company here appears to be a hustler, and having laid its tracks right into the cemetery it is no uncommon sight to see a trolley car with its sad passengers gliding through the gates of the city of the dead. The move is a very good one as far as the people of limited means are concerned. A car will cost only $5, and it will frequently carry an entire funeral party, which would otherwise have to use eight or ten carriages. The company is now having constructed a special funeral car, equipped with all modern appliances for holding dead bodies. It will combine the features of a hearse, with all the comforts for the mourners. The plan is looked upon as a good one by everybody except the undertakers and the livery men, and there is talk of having the idea adopted in other cities.

The proceedings in the house will close with the usual farewell exercises, at which Speaker Walton and the clerks will be remembered with handsome testimonials as a reward for the faithful and conscientious manner in which they have performed their duty. W. M. R.

Negro Baseball Dodger Held for Murder.

SHENANDOAH, June 3.—William Plimmer, a negro, 47 years old, whose home is in Baltimore, was committed to jail, charged with the killing of Michael Hertz, a lad of 13 years. Plimmer was doing the baseball dodging act at a picnic. He held his head through an opening in a piece of canvas and for five cents permitted men and boys to throw three baseballs at it. Hertz and other boys threw stones at the negro, and in a moment of rage he threw a hatchet, which struck Hertz and inflicted a wound from which he died.

Four Feet of Snow in Colorado.

DENVER, June 1.—The storms in Colorado on Thursday were the worst known for years. The entire country has been soaked with a heavy rain. There is four feet of snow at Dillon, a mining camp in the mountains. Water is so deep in the streets of Holyoke that a rowboat has made trips up and down the streets. Small lakes have been formed near Akron, and the streams are swollen. The storm means millions to the farmers, coming at a most opportune time.

Mine Fire Breaks Out Again.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 3.—The fire in the Port Bowkley mine, which was gotten under control Friday night and extinguished early Saturday morning, broke out in another part of the mine yesterday. Two hundred men are at work fighting the fire. Pipes were laid from the Susquehanna river to the mouth of the colliery, and the lower levels of the mine will be flooded, so as to prevent the spread of the fire to other sections of the mine.

Alleged Absconder Returns.

CONSHOHOCKEN, Pa., June 3.—Calvin W. Rigg, Jr., who in March left his wife and children, and also an alleged shortage of $450 in his accounts with Conshohocken council, Junior Order United American Mechanics, of which he was treasurer, has returned. He appeared before Magistrate William F. Smith and waved a hearing for his appearance at court. He refuses to say where he has been.

Crushed by an Elevator.

READING, Pa., June 3.—Charles Hoffman, an elevator boy, aged 14 years, in Dives, Pomeroy & Stewart's store, died from injuries received while running the elevator. One of the employes entered the lift and started it and the boy in attempting to get in while it was going was caught at the second floor and so badly crushed that he died.

Baby Butchered by a Boy.

BALTIMORE, June 1.—The 9-months-old baby of George Simpson, who resides near Marion station, Somerset county, was horribly butchered by a colored boy. The parents of the child had engaged a colored girl to nurse it, and while they were absent the colored girl took it to her home, where a small negro cut it nearly to pieces with a knife.

Wilkesbarre Firebugs Still Busy.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 3.—Two incendiary fires of minor dimensions were started in this city yesterday. Not a night has passed without one or more similar occurrences during the past week.

Drowned in the Susquehanna.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., June 3.—Frank Riley, a young mechanic, was drowned while bathing in the Susquehanna river at Lanesboro yesterday afternoon. His body was recovered.

Wife Slayers to Go to the Gallows.

PITTSBURG, June 3.—James McMullen, the wife murderer, was on Saturday sentenced to be hanged. Daniel Werling, another wife murderer, will be executed here tomorrow.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, May 31, 1895.

President Cleveland never had a closer or a dearer friend than the late Secretary Gresham. His grief could not have been greater had his brother died. He insisted that the dead Secretary should have the honor of a military funeral—only one other civilian, (the late John A. Logan) was ever accorded that honor—although Mrs. Gresham at first desired that the services should be private. And, although he had himself not been well for some days before Secretary Gresham's death, he decided at once that he and the surviving members of the cabinet would accompany the remains to their last resting place, at Chicago, which was an honor never before accorded a dead official. While the busy bodies have already begun to guess and suggest the name of the next Secretary of State, it is certain that the President's grief has been too deep to give the matter a thought, and probable that all or the greater part of the thirty days allowed by law will expire before the selection is made. The democratic party is rich in material and President Cleveland enjoys the deserved reputation of being a good judge of men, so there is no occasion for any worry about a mistake being made in the selection.

The eulogy of Senator Voorhees on the late Secretary Gresham, although compressed into a short telegram, sent to Sergeant-at-Arms Bright of the Senate, will hardly be surpassed by any of the longer ones to be written or spoken. Mr. Voorhees said: "Indiana is in mourning for her most distinguished native-born son. Of commanding ability, stainless honor and undaunted courage, Walter Q. Gresham lived and died the great soldier, the great jurist, and the great Secretary. No manlier spirit was ever called from earth, no truer nor more patriotic heart ever ceased to beat. He loved his neighbor as himself and his country more than himself. His name and fame will continue to live on the best pages of American history as long as that history itself endures. You and I will never look upon his like again. The public service loses a statesman, you and I lose a friend beloved. May God bless the bereaved ones in his darkened home."

Politicians of all parties who happened to be in Washington when the news of the easy triumph of the Foraker men over the McKinleyites in the Ohio republican State convention was received, agreed in expressing the opinion that the McKinley boom was thereby heavily handicapped, notwithstanding the perfunctory McKinley resolution that was afterwards adopted by the convention. McKinley stock has been dropping for some time, and if the idea once gets accepted that there are a large number of influential republicans in Ohio who, while pretending to be for him are in reality engaged in bargaining with the other candidates for the nomination, it will drop out of sight and the name of McKinley will not even go before the republican National convention.

There is another thing about the Ohio convention that was much commented on by the politicians. That was John Sherman's speech, which indicates almost to a certainty the attention of the republicans to try to juggle the silver question through another National campaign by the adoption of a platform that both the silver and the gold republicans will interpret to be in their favor, and which will in reality mean nothing, except putting off a settlement of the question to some indefinite future time.

Among the many things told to the credit of the late Secretary Gresham is the following, given as his remarks to Gen. Grant who visited him while he was in command at Natchez, Miss: "Why, general, I regard the enmity of these people as the most natural thing on earth. We are all made by our geography, moulded by our environment. If you or I had been born in the South, reared in the South, you and I would both have been intense Southern men. We represent the sentiment of our people and these Southern folks represent theirs. To me it all appears very natural. And, to tell you the truth, general, when I find a Southern man who is not for the South I experience all that instinctive distrust for him which I do for a copperhead. I don't quite hate him like I do a copperhead, because he's siding with me and I'm too weak to hate people who are on my side, no matter where they come from. But it's a fact, general, when I find a southern man who is against the South, I somehow disbelieve in him and can't give him credit for being either manly or honest."

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"How long off and on have you worked at it?"

"Sixty-five years."

"How old are you?"

"Sixty-five."

"Then you have been a tin-roofer from birth?"

"No, sir; of course I haven't."

"Then why do you say that you have worked at your trade sixty-five years?"

"Because you asked how long off and on I had worked at it. I have worked at it off and on sixty-five years—twenty years on and forty-five off."

Here there was a roar in the court room, but not at the expense of the witness, and his inquisitor hurriedly finished his examination in confusion.—Harper's Bazar.

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In effect May, 12, 1895.

TRAINS LEAVE BLOOMSBURG

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading Pottsville, Tamaqua, weekdays 11.55 a. m.

For Williamsport, weekdays, 7.35 a. m., 3.25 p. m.

For Danville and Milton, weekdays, 7.35 a. m., 3.15.

For Catawissa weekdays 7.35, 11.55 a. m., 12.20, 5.00, 6.33, p. m.

For Rupert weekdays 7.35, 11.55 a. m., 12.20, 3.25 5.00, 6.33, p. m.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R., through trains leave Reading Terminal, Philadelphia, 3.20, 7.55, 11.26 a. m., 3.46 7.27, p. m. Sundays 3.20, 7.55 11.26 a. m., 3.46, 7.27, p. m. Additional trains from 24 and Chestnut street station, weekdays, 1.35, 5.41, 8.23 p. m. Sundays, 1.35, 8.23 p. m.

TRAINS FOR BLOOMSBURG

Leave New York via Philadelphia 8.00 a m., and via Easton 9.10 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia 10.00 a. m.

Leave Reading 11.50 a. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.30 a. m.,

Leave Williamsport weekdays 10.10 a m, 4.30 p. m.

Leave Catawissa weekdays, 7.00, 8.40 a. m. 1.30, 3.27, 6.15.

Leave Rupert, weekdays, 7.08, 8.27, a. m., 12.06 1.37, 3.36, 6.23.

ATLANTIC CITY DIVISION.

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WEEK-DAYS—Express, 7.00, 7.45, 9.00 a. m. 3.15 and 5.30 p. m. Accommodation, 8.15 a. m. and 4.32 p. m.

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SOUTH.—					B. & S. R. R.	—NORTH			
ARRIVE.						LEAVE			
a m	a. m.	p m	p.m.		STATIONS.	a m	p m	p m	a m
7.10	11.40	6.30	2.40		Bloomsbu'g.	8.30	2 40	6 40	6.10
7.08	11.35	6.26	2.3		" P. & P.	8.33	2.42	6.44	6.13
7.03	11.32	6.24	2.32		" Main st.,	8.36	2.45	6.47	
		6.20	2.32		..Irondale...		2.47	6.50	6.25
6.53	11.23	6.12	2.20		Paper Mill.	8 44	2.54	6.58	6.37
6.50	11.20	6.09	2.15		.Light st.,	8.47	3.00	7.02	6.50
6.40	11.10	5.59	2.00		Orangevil'e.	8.56	3.10	7.10	7.10
6.29	11.0	5.48	1.3\		.. .Forks ...	9.06	3.20	7.20	7.35
6.20	10.58	5.44	1.30		...Zaner's...	9.09	3.25	7.24	7.41
6.18	10.53	5.37	1.25		.Stillwater.	9.13	3.30	7.29	8.00
6.08	10.43	5.27	1.10		..Benton...	9.23	3.40	7.39	8.40
6.04	10 40	5.22	12.35		...Edson's...	9.26	3.45	7.44	8.50
6.02	0 38	5.20	12.30		Cole's Cr'k.	9.28	3.47	7.48	8.53
5.58	10.35	5.16	12.25		.Sugarloaf..	9.31	3.52	7.52	9.00
5.53	10.32	5.13	12.20		..Laubach..	9.35	3.57	7.57	9.16
5.48	10.28	5.08	12.05		..Central..	9.45	4.07	8.07	9.20
5.40	10.20	5.00	11.50		Jam.. City..	9.50	4.10	8.10	9.40
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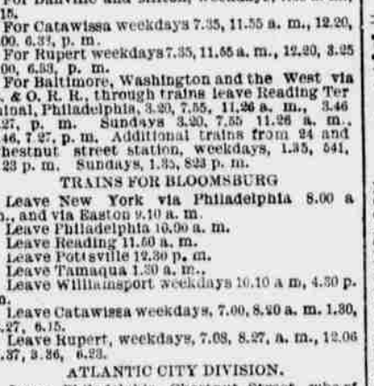

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Time Table in effect May 19, '95.

Scranton(D & E)lv	.....		A. M. 9 08	P. M. 4 30	P. M. 8 10	Daily	
Pittston " "	.....		10 00	5 20	8 55		
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		
Wilkesbarre...lv	7 35	10 15	4 17	6 10	4 40		
Plym'th Ferry "	7 30	10 21	4 22	6 05	4 48		
Nanticoke ... "	7 40	10 3	4 29	6 14	5 00		
Mocanaqua ..."	8 01	10 5	4 47	6 25	5 23		
Wapwallopen. "	8 11	11 0	4 57	6 41	5 32		
Nescopeck ... ar	8 18	11 1	5 08	6 51	5 42		
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.				
Pottsville. lv	6 00	9 05	1 10	.....	.....		
Hazleton ..... "	7 10	11 05	3 04	.....	.....		
Tomhicken..... "	7 20	11 25	3 22	.....	.....		
Fern Glen..... "	7 38	11 34	3 28	.....	.....		
Rock Glen ..... "	7 44	11 40	3 39	.....	.....		
Nescopeck .... ar	8 04	.....	4 08	.....	.....		
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.		P. M.		
Nescopeck.....lv	8 18	11 11	4 07	.....	5 43		
Cleasy ..... "	8 33	Via	4 17	.....	5 53		
Espy Ferry..... "	8 43	Rock	4 25	.....	6 04		
E. Bloomsburg"	8 47	Glen	4 32	.....	6 08		
			P. M.				
Catawissa ..... ar	8 55	11 18	4 38	.....	6 14		
Catawissa.....lv	8 55	11 18	4 38	.....	6 14		
Riverside..... "	9 14	12 37	4 57	.....	6 31		
Sunbury..... "	9 35	1 00	5 20	.....	7 06		
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.		P. M.		
Sunbury lv	9 56	1 35	5 40	.....	8 25		
Lewisburg ...ar	10 29	2 08	6 15	.....	.....		
Milton ..... "	10 44	2 03	6 06	.....	9 52		
Williamsport.."	11 15	3 00	7 00	.....	10 40		
Lock Haven... "	12 20	4 10	8 00	.....	.....		
Renovo ..... "	P. M.	5 12	9 00	.....	.....		
Kane ..... "	.....	9 15	.....	.....	.....		
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		
Sunbury.....lv	9 56	1 35	5 40	.....	8 25		
Harrisburg...ar	11 30	3 20	7 10	.....	10 00		
CONSULTATION FREE.							
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.		
Philadelphia .ar	3 00	6 25	11 15	.....	4 30		
Baltimore..... "	3 16	6 15	10 40	.....	6 20		
Washington "	4 30	7 30	.....	.....	7 40		
	A. M.	P. M.					
Sunbury lv	10 05	2 25	.....	.....	.....		
	P. M.						
Lewistown Jc ar	12 05	4 25	.....	.....	.....		
Pittsburg..... "	8 10	11 30	.....	.....	.....		
			P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		
Harrisburg..... lv	.....		3 50	7 30	.....		
				A. M.			
Pittsburg ....ar	.....		11 30	2 00	.....		

† Daily, except Sunday. ‡ Daily. ‖ Flag station.

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Pittsburg.....lv	P. M. 7 00	P. M. 8 10	.....	A. M. 8 10	P. M. 8 10	
Harrisburg....ar	A. M. 2 10	A. M. 3 39	.....	P. M. 2 10	A. M. 3 30	
Pittsburg.....lv	.....	A. M.	.....	A. M. 8 00	.....	
				P. M.		
Lewistown Jc. "	.....	† 7 34	.....	† 3 00	.....	
Sunbury..... ar	.....	† 9 28	.....	† 5 00	.....	
	P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	A. M.	
Washington....lv	10 40	.....	.....	10 30	.....	
Baltimore..... "	11 50	4 45	.....	11 40	4 45	
Philadelphia... "	11 20	4 39	.....	12 25	4 39	
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	
Harrisburg.....lv	3 30	8 15	.....	3 25	8 15	
Sunbury .....ar	5 08	9 55	.....	5 35	9 56	
	P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.	
Erie lv	3 25	.....	.....	.....	3 25	
Kane..... "	7 05	.....	.....	† 6 30	7 05	
Renova..... "	10 35	.....	.....	10 25	10 25	
Lock Haven... "	11 25	† 7 15	.....	11 20	11 25	
	A. M.			P. M.	A. M.	
Williamsport.."	3 25	8 15	.....	4 00	3 25	
Milton..... "	4 12	9 10	.....	4 56	4 12	
Lewisburg..... "	.....	9 00	.....	4 47	.....	
Sunbury..... ar	4 36	9 38	.....	5 25	4 36	
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	A. M.	
Sunbury.....lv	† 5 25	10 00	.....	† 5 43	10 00	
Riverside..... "	5 48	10 22	.....	6 07	10 20	
Catawissa..... "	6 08	10 40	.....	6 26	10 42	
E. Bloomsburg"	Via	10 48	.....	6 33	10 48	
Espy Ferry..... "	Rock	‖10 52	.....	† 6 38	‖10 52	
Creasy ..... "	Glen.	11 01	.....	6 48	11 01	
Nescopeck ....ar	8 04	11 11	.....	6 58	11 11	
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.		
Nescopeck.....lv	.....	‖11 11	.....	† 6 58	.....	
Rock Glen..... ar	† 6 52	‖11 37	.....	7 22	.....	
Fern Glen..... "	6 59	11 43	.....	7 27	.....	
Tomhicken..... "	7 10	11 54	.....	7 34	.....	
		P. M.				
Hazleton ..... "	7 34	12 15	.....	7 56	.....	
Pottsville . .. "	8 45	1 25	.....	9 05	.....	
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Nescopeck..... lv	† 5 04	‖11 11	† 4 08	† 6 58	‖11 11	
Wapwallopen.ar	8 16	11 22	4 20	7 10	11 24	
Mocanaqua..... "	8 26	11 32	4 32	7 22	11 34	
Nanticoke ..... "	8 46	11 54	4 53	7 44	11 54	
		P. M.			P. M.	
Plym'th Ferry "	8 54	12 02	5 01	7 53	12 02	
Wilkesbarre.... "	9 00	12 10	5 10	8 00	12 10	
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	.....	
Pittston(D & E) ar	† 9 36	‖12 49	† 5 41	† 8 32	.....	
Scranton " "	10 05	1 16	6 08	9 03	.....	

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Pullman Parlor and Sleeping Cars run on through trains between Sunbury, Williamsport and Erie, between Sunbury and Philadelphia and Washington and between Harrisburg, Pittsburg and the west.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	EAST. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	6 25	1.50	10 05	5 50
Cameron	6 40	.....	.....	6 05
Chulasky	.....	.....	.....	6 07
Danville	6 52	2 12	10 26	6 18
Catawissa	7 10	2 30	10 39	6 28
Rupert	7 17	2 31	10 44	6 33
Bloomsburg	7 25	2 36	10 49	6 39
Espy	7 33	2 43	.....	6 45
Lime Ridge	7 40	2 50	.....	6 52
Willow Grove	7 44	2 54	.....	6 56
Briarcreek	7 48	.....	.....	7 00
Berwick	7 58	3 04	11 12	7 06
Beach Haven	8 04	3 10	11 18	7 12
Slick's Ferry	8 10	3 17	.....	7 19
Shickshinny	8 20	3 29	11 33	7 35
Hunlock's	8 29	3 39	.....	7 47
Nanticoke	8 37	3 46	11 49	7 54
Avondale	8 41	3 51	.....	7 58
Plymouth	8 45	3 56	11 56	8 03
Plymouth Junction	8 49	4 00	.....	8 07
Kingston	8 54	4 05	12 05	8 12
Bennett	8 58	4 08	.....	8 16
Forty Fort	9 00	4 11	.....	8 19
Wyoming	9 05	4 17	12 16	8 25
West Pittston	9 10	4 22	.....	8 30
Susquehanna Ave	9 14	4 25	12 23	8 33
Pittston	9 17	4 30	12 26	8 39
Duryea	9 20	4 34	.....	8 44
Lackawanna	9 24	4 37

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FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1895.

Candidates.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
MORDECAI MILLARD,
CENTRE TOWNSHIP.

The bridge bill has been signed by the Governor. This law provides for the erection of new bridges to replace those which are destroyed by fire, flood or other casualty. The new law provides for the erection by the state of all new bridges over streams that have been declared public highways, the counties to keep them in repair.

The county of Lycoming last year paid out $100,000 for new bridges. Hereafter this heavy experse will be taken off the shoulders of the tax-payers of the county and be paid by the state.

The religious garb bill has passed the Senate and is now in the Governor's hands. It is a pernicious bill and if it becomes a law, it will prevent not only Catholic nuns, but Menonites, Quakers, Dunkards, and other religious sects who wear distinctive garb, from teaching in the public schools. More than that, no members of the Christian Endeavor, Brotherhood of St. Andrew, King's Daughters or any other religious society are permitted to wear badges of their society. And the avowed object of the bill is to drive nuns from the few schools wherein they are employed. Every Democratic Senator voted against the bill.

The Hackenberg electric light bills passed finally on Wednesday. One makes it compulsory for municipalities and others to purchase the electric light plants in existence before new ones can be erected. The other is a companion of the first and gives the exclusive right of the streets to existing companies. The first measure extends to cities of the first, second and third class the provisions of the act which permits boroughs and townships to manufacture electricity for municipal and commercial purposes and compels such municipalities to purchase and condemn the property of any such private corporation before they can start a plant of their own. The first proposition went through without debate by a vote of 142 to twenty-three.

The judicial apportionment bills will go to a conference committee. The house and senate are so far apart on this question that it is believed the committee will not be able to agree on a bill satisfactory to both branches. Eight weeks ago the house sent its judicial apportionment bill over to the senate. It lingered in the committee over a month and was then amended so as to make it practically a new bill and reported. This proposition has at last gone through the senate and will come over to the house early in the week for concurrence. Chairman North of the house judicial apportionment committee, is disgusted with the senate bill. He says it is unfair and unjust, to say nothing of its constitutionality.

There is reason to believe the senate bill will fail because of its relation with the unlucky number thirteen. The bill was introduced on the thirteenth day of the month and on the thirteenth day of the succeeding month it was reported out of a committee composed of thirteen members. The measure first went down in defeat by thirteen senators voting against it. On the thirteeth day of the month, and when the vote was reconsidered, it carried by a majority of thirteen.

SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS.

The Smith bill distributing the school appropriation by giving $50 to each teacher employed in a district, and dividing the balance on the basis of the number of taxables in the district, passed the House on Wednesday of last week.

The same day the bill introduced by Hon. A. L. Fritz providing for the distribution of the school appropriation on the basis of the number of children in the several school districts between the ages of six and twenty years, came up for third reading and final passage on a special order. It was killed by an overwhelming majority, owing to the fact that the Smith bill had already been passed. Mr. Fow of Philadelphia charged that the Smith bill was carried by a trade between the country members and the Allegheny delegation on the Greater Pittsburg bill. The Fritz bill was a meritorious one.

The Creature and the Creator.

By the breath of the Constitution alone the Legislature of Pennsylvania has its being. Its members are elected and hold their seats only by operation of the Constitution, which ordains that the State shall be apportioned into Senatorial and Representative districts immediately after each decennial census. But the creature has insolently set itself above its creator in violating this solemn injunction. For the third regular session since the census of 1890 the majority in the Legislature has wantonly refused to perform the constitutional duty of apportioning representatives among the people of Pennsylvania. The mandate, is imperative, and a legislative body which exists in violation of the orderly processes of the Constitution for apportioning representatives is a usurpation. Many members of the present Legislature hold their seats only through this violation of the organic law.

Not only the Constitution of Pennsylvania but the Constitution of the United States is violated by the State Legislature in refusing to apportion members of Congress among the people. The election of two members of Congress at large bears witness to the continuous and persistent disobedience of both Federal and State Constitutions. Whilst thousands of the voters of Pennsylvania are deprived of just representation by gerrymandering fraud, two members of Congress are without immediate constituencies.

In the sessions of 1891 and 1893, during which Robert E. Pattison was Governor, a show of obeying the Constitution was made by passing apportionment bills to which he could not give his official approval. These bills were, in fact, mere fraudulent substitutes for the old partisan gerrymanders, and Governor Pattison could not sign them without violating his oath to support the Constitution. But the majority in the Legislature satisfied their consciences by going through the motions of apportioning representatives among the people. They rightly judged at the same time that the prevailing political majority in Pennsylvania would readily condone any gerrymandering frauds that they might perpetrate against the Democracy.

Now, however, there is not a semblance of decent pretext for refusing to obey the provisions of the Constitution for securing just representation to the people of Pennsylvania in the State Legislature and in Congress. With overwhelming majorities in both branches of the Legislature, and with an Executive in harmony with them, the Republicans had the power to cut and carve the representative districts at their will. With no fear of the Democratic opposition, they had no excuse for resorting to customary gerrymandering frauds. Yet notwithstanding the opportunity afforded in so generous a measure to a Republican Legislature, the constitutional oblication to apportion representatives among the people has once more been trampled under foot. By its character the next Legislature, like the present, will be a usurpative body for the want of the just representation which the organic law and political morality alike enjoin.

Much partisan commendation is bestowed upon the Republican faction of the Legislature who made parade of a desire to pass apportionment bills, while the opposite faction who postponed their consideration are lustily denounced. But we have evidence in the unanimous testimony of the Democratic members and in the bills themselves that these measures were no better than the old-fashioned gerrymanders. Wherever a partizan advantage could be gained Democratic districts were gerrymandered in the same old way, and as a consequence there are no Democratic tears over the failure of these bills. In their unscrupulous character a pretext was afforded for opposing and defeating them.

But this does not absolve the Republican majority in the Legislature from their sworn obligation to apportion representatives among the people. The faction who had the power to postpone the bills under consideration had power also to pass any apportionment bills they might desire. For partisan reasons of their own, they preferred existing gerrymanders to any new experiments in the same line. The plea that it is too late now to apportion the State in accordance with the census of 1890 is a rather shabby cover for persistent violation of the Constitution. It implies that if the Republicans preserve control of the Legislature elections will be held under existing gerrymanders in 1896, 1898 and 1900. Thus will be witnessed the shameful close of an entire census decade without the performance of the solemn constitutional obligation to justly apportion representatives among the people of Pennsylvania. The Twentieth Century will thus be ushered in with gerrymandering fraud and iniquity triumphant in the Commonwealth. Nothing but a political revolution can avert such humilation and disgrace.—*Record.*

WOULDN'T A SALARY COME HANDY? See advertisement of a "Chance to earn money," in another column, if you want a position, 5-17-4t.

Olney May Be Premier.

IT IS RUMORED THAT THE PRESIDENT WILL OFFER HIM THE STATE PORTFOLIO.

A Washington dispatch to the *Times* of June 4th, says:

There is a prevalent and generally credited rumor that Attorney General Olney has been tendered and accepted the position of Secretary of State. It has been stated in some quarters that the matter was laid before the Cabinet to-day, and that there was a general concurrence of belief that the selection of Attorney General Olney for the position would be most appropriate primarily because of his personal familarity with nearly all matters now pending before the State Department. It is well known that upon all important international questions the late Secretary of State sought the advice and counsel of the Attorney General, for whose abilities and judgment General Gresham entertained the highest regard.

A member of the Cabinet, who was present at the meeting to-day, states most positively that this important subject was not considered by the Cabinet, and that the president has given no indication concerning his probable action in the matter. The current rumor is that Mr. Olney will be made Secretary of State, and the present acting Secretary of State, Mr. Uhl, of Michigan, will at the same time be appointed Attorney General. The prevailing impression in the higher circles of politics and statesmanship appears to be that the President desires to avoid undue haste in filling the existing vacancy, but that it will be deemed necessary to make the appointment before the President leaves the city for his summer residence at Gray Gables. No reliable authority can be found for the rumor concerning Attorney General Olney, although it is generally credited because of the conceded fitness of such a selection. It is known, however, that the advisability of the selection of Postmaster General Wilson for the position of Secretary of State was suggested by the president to a member of the Cabinet on Saturday last. A long time personal and intimate friend of Postmaster General Wilson to-day stated to the *Times* correspondent that Mr. Wilson would prefer remaining in his present position on account of the delicate condition of his health, although he would undoubtedly appreciate the honor of the premiership. He has been overworked, and his vitality drained during the past two years on account of his active participation in national legislation, and he would not be physically capacitated to meet the requirements of the first position in the Cabinet

The name of Senator Gray, of Delaware, has been frequently used in connection with this position, and there is no question of his complete equipment for the office. Political considerations are such, however, that his selection is not deemed likely.

Senator Gray was in the city today, and spent some time with the President before the Cabinet meeting this morning, and was at the Executive Mansion in private conversation with President Cleveland for more than an hour this afternoon. This fact, under existing circumstances, has caused considerable speculation concerning the possibility of the selection of Senator Gray, but the usefulness of Senator Gray upon the floor of the Senate in the past, and the importance of his presence in the Senate during the next winter, practically precludes the probability of his transfer to the executive branch of the government at this time.

Hood's Saved My Life

I Can Honestly Say This

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ORDINANCE NO. 84.

The following ordinance was passed by the Town Council at a meeting held May 22.

An Ordinance to Provide for an Increase of Indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg, in order to fund the Present Indebtedness of said Municipality as Evidenced by Outstanding Orders, and a Judgment of Court in an Action for Tort, for Damages Sustained by W. R. Ringrose, for Personal Injuries Received: and also Purchase Real Estate and the Equipment of a Plant to Furnish Light for the said Town, and to Pay the Expenses Incident to the Opening of Jefferson Street and North Street, Ordained to be Opened by Previous Councils, and for Obtaining Consent of the Electors of said Municipality thereto.

WHEREAS, The existing bonded indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg amounts to the sum of $37,940, and in addition thereto there is an existing indebtedness for outstanding orders—the sum of $12,500 and for the judgment obtained against the said Town, for personal injuries received by W. R. Ringrose, together with the interest, costs and expenses incident to the litigation concerning the same, amounting to about $7,000—which outstanding orders and judgment are bearing six per cent, interest, and it is desirable to fund the said indebtedness by the substitution of another form of indebtedness bearing a lower rate of interest.

AND WHEREAS, Also the said Town is now at an annual expense approximating $4400 for the furnishing of Lights for its Highways and Streets, and there is demand made for the immediate opening of Jefferson Street and of North Street agreeably to the action of the corporate Authorities of said Town, heretofore had; and it is believed that the interests of the said Town will be the better subserved by the procurement of a plant and the necessary appliances, for the furnishing of light for the Highways of said Town and to be owned by the said Town; and by the immediate opening of the Highways mentioned and previously ordained.

Therefore be it ordained and enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Bloomsburg, and it is hereby ordained and exacted

Sec. 1. That for the purpose of funding the debt of the said municipality as evidenced by the existing and outstanding orders of the said Town, and for the payment of the judgment, interest, costs and expenses incident to the litigation of the claim of W. R. Ringrose against said Town for personal injuries received by him; as well as for the purpose of procuring real estate and the necessary machinery and appliances for the furnishing of the light for the Streets and Highways thereof; and to pay the damages, costs and expenses for the opening of Jefferson Street and North Street is already ordained, that the bonded indebtedness of the said Town of Bloomsburg be increased in the sum of Forty Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($40,800).

Sec. 2. That bonds be issued in denominations of $500, $200 and $100 each, with coupons attached, and bearing interest at four and a half per centum, per annum, payable semi-annually, to secure the payment of the indebtedness hereby created, all of which shall be payable within twenty years from the date of issue; which bonds shall be in such form, and be executed, issued and delivered in accordance with, and subject to such regulations and resolutions as the President and Town Council may adopt.

Sec. 3 That an annual tax commencing with the first year after such bonds shall have been issued of at least two mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of taxable property in said town of Bloomsburg, be hereafter annually levied and collected for the purpose of repaying the said indebtedness and the interest thereon; and that the President of the Town Council is hereby authorized and directed to make and file with the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Columbia County, attested by the Secretary of the Town Council, the statement required by law

Sec. 4. That notice be given agreeably to the provisions of the Act of Assembly of April 20, 1874, and its supplements, by advertisement published in THE COLUMBIAN, "Democratic Sentinel" and "Columbia County Republican," and by twenty printed hand bills, posted in the most public parts of said Town, that an election will be held at the usual places of holding the general and municipal elections in the said Town of Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, the Sixteenth day of July, A. D., 1895, between the hours provided by law for holding of general elections, for the purpose of obtaining consent of the Electors of said Town to such increase of indebtedness.

Sec. 5. That the President of the Town Council shall cause to be prepared and distributed printed tickets labelled on the outside "Increase the Debt," and containing on the inside the words "Debt may be Increased" also the words "For Loan to Fund Outstanding Orders and the W. R. Ringrose judgment; and to pay the Expenses of Plant for Light and of Opening Jefferson and North Sts., Total $40,800;" and he shall also prepare and distribute tickets labelled on the outside "Increase the Debt" and containing on the inside "No Increase of Debt," also the words "For Loan to Fund Outstanding Orders and the W. R. Ringrose Judgment; and to pay the Expenses of Plant for Light, and of Opening Jefferson and North Streets, Total $40,800;" that due notice be given to the Electors of the Town of Bloomsburg in the manner prescribed by the 3rd Section of the Act of 1874 and its supplements, said notice to contain a statement of the last assessed valuation of taxable property in said Town, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase, and the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased

Passed and approved May 21st, 1895.

S. C. CREASY, President.

Attest: R. H. RINGLER, Sec. of Town Council.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified Electors of the Town of Bloomsburg that in pursuance of an Ordinance to Provide for an Increase of Indebtedness of the Town of Bloomsburg in order to Fund the Present Indebtedness of said Municipality as Evidenced by outstanding Orders, and a Judgment of Court in an Action for Tort, for Damages sustained by W. R. Ringrose for Personal Injuries Received; and also Purchase Real Estate and the Equipment of a Plant to Furnish Light for the said Town and to pay the Expenses Incident to the Opening of Jefferson Street and North Street, Ordained to be Opened by Previous Councils and for Obtaining Consent of the Electors of said Municipality Thereto.

An election will be held in the several election districts of the Town of Bloomsburg to be held at the places of holding the general and municipal elections in said election districts, on Tuesday, the 16th day of July, 1895 between the hours provided by law, for holding general elections for the purpose of obtaining the consent of the Electors of said Town to such increase of indebtedness.

The money to be obtained from such increase of indebtedness shall be applied to the payment of existing outstanding orders of said Town, and the payment of the W. R. Ringrose Judgment, interest, costs and expenses; and to procure a Plant for the furnishing of light for the streets of said Town, and the necessary appliances therefor; and to pay for the opening of Jefferson and North Streets as ordained by action of previous Councils.

The last assessed valuation of said Town was	$2,239,624
The present bonded debt of said Town, is	37,940
The net existing debt of said Town including outstanding orders and Ringrose Judgment is	19,500
The amount of the proposed increase, including that necessary to fund the debt for outstanding orders and said judgment is	40,800
The percentage of increase, including that necessary to fund the debt for outstanding orders and for said judgment is	.0182

By order of Town Council,

S. C. CREASY, President.

R. H. RINGLER, Secretary.

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UNDERWEAR.

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PLISSE.

Just new this season. Oh, how lovely. Nothing cooler or more stylish. Just the thing for these hot summer days that are coming. We have it in all kinds of designs. Light and dark back grounds. Some have the waves in the stripe, others in the body. They all go for 15c. the yard.

DUCKS.

There is nothing more stylish or neater looking than duck suits. Every one wants one for this summer. Dark blue back ground, with white stripe is one. Can you imagine anything prettier? Lots of others, especially the linen colored duck. All just the thing at 12½c.

DOTTED SWISS.

These are being shown and are going to be worn more than ever this year. We have them in plain, and also with the flouncing around the bottom, insertion four inches from the flouncing, full skirt length, all different designs, at $1.00, $1.20, $1.40. Children's at less than half of some of these.

SHOES.

Do you know that we are now carrying the most complete line of anyone in town? Why? Because we never do anything by halves. We can show you more value and style for your money than any where else. A full Russia leather tan shoe for $2.25.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1895.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

OUR CLUB OFFERS.

Every subscriber, new or old, who pays one full year in advance, will receive free for one year *The American Farm News.*

THE COLUMBIAN and the *Philadelphia Weekly Times* for one year for $1.40.

THE COLUMBIAN and the *New York World* twice a week, for $1 75. This is a great combination, one of the best we ever offered. The twice a week *World* contains twelve pages of the news of the world. It is the best value ever offered for the money. Try it. tf.

Supreme Court is in session at Harrisburg this week.

The Lutherans at Espy are preparing to rebuild their church.

A very agreeable change in the weather took place on Tuesday night.

The hot wave is universal. Many people have died from heat prostration in the cities.

This is a busy week in the legislature. Saturday has been fixed for adjournment.

Cool neckwear, French Madras cloth, silk double-overs, washable.
J. M, GIDDING & Co.

The Episcopal Rectory is undergoing repairs in the way of paper and paint. P. K. Vannatta is doing the work.

The flower beds at the Normal have been filled with plants by Bryfogle Bros., and present a beautiful appearance.

There will be services in St. Paul's church on Sunday morning at 10.30 and evening at 7.30. Rev. D. N. Kirkby will officiate.

Willits Krug, son of Charles Krug, and Miss Della E. Peck, of Peckville, Pa., will be married at that place on June 12th.

Last week Thursday was the hottest May 30th since the inauguration of Memorial Day. In the cities many people were prostrated.

A barn belonging to William Lawton in Greenwood township was struck by lightning on Saturday. It was entirely destroyed with all the contents. No insurance.

Calendars are all gone. Come and get a copy of "Yours Truly," a pamphlet of illustrated humor, four numbers of which are given to every advance subscriber.

We announce the name of Mordecai Millard as a candidate for re election to the office of Associate Judge. This is the only county office to be filled this year.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Mr. Samuel A. Goodhue of Jamison City, and Miss Jennie, daughter of J. K. Lockard, at the Presbyterian church, on Wednesday June 12th at twelve o'clock.

Patrick Flynn, an old and respected resident of Centralia, died last Thursday. He was the father of E. J. Flynn Esq., a lawyer of Centralia. The funeral took place on Monday at St. Ignatius' church, and was one of the largest ever held in that town.

MUSICAL COLLEGE.—Summer term opens July 22. The object of this school is to furnish instruction to all who take advantage for the least expenditure of money, and will be found equally advantageous to students in every stage of proficiency. For catalogue, address, HENRY B. MOYER,
Freeburg, Pa. Director.
5-21-4t.

The pavement in front of W. Webb's tobacco store has been relaid.

On Wednesday James Coleman bought the Commons property on Fifth Street, through J. S. Williams.

J. G. Wells has recently purchased a new optician's outfit. It is enclosed in a handsome folding case.

The Berwick Bicycle Club will have a special race meet on June 29th. The prizes range from $45 down to $2.50.

Eva, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vought of Rupert, died last Saturday morning of diphtheria, aged eleven years.

Special prices to students for cards to insert in their commencement invitations. Orders promptly filled at this office.

As it is a long time since any entertainment has been given in the Parish House, the festival this Friday evening should be well attended.

This office is at present engaged in the work of printing 5000 catalogues for the Normal School, also the second number of Volume 2 of the Quarterly.

Outing Belts—Light and dark tan, white kid, white duck, with or without pockets attached. 25 and 50 cts.
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The following letters are advertised June 4, 1895. Mr. John Blair, Mr. H. L. McHenry. Will be sent to the dead letter office June 18, 1895.
JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

Franklin Stewart Esq., of Berwick was stricken with paralysis on the street on Monday last, and expired. The funeral was held on Wednesday. He was a member of the bar, but had not engaged in active practice for several years.

John M. Garman Esq., of Wilkes-Barre was in town on Wednesday, soliciting the signatures of the lawyers to a petition asking the governor to appoint Judge Rice as a member of the new Appellate Court. The papers was generally signed by the attorneys.

On Wednesday night of last week A. J. McHenry caught a trout in Fishing Creek, near Stillwater, that measured seventeen inches. He presented it to General Manager F. M. Leader. It was a beauty, and the largest that has been caught this season.

The Wyalusing *Rocket* informed that work on the proposed railroad from Binghamton to Williamsport, which is to pass through that village, is soon to be commenced again, and that the project is being backed by the Delaware and Hudson and the Delaware, Lackawanna, and Western roads.

The Taylor Directory Company, well known publishers of Scranton and other directories, have secured all rights of publication from Mr. Z. W. White, publisher of the Bloomsburg and Danville directory of 1892 and 1893, and are about to issue the same for 1895 and 1896.

This year's directory will be called the "Bloomsburg and Danville" instead of "Danville and Bloomsburg," as previously.

Mr. T. K. Doyle, their representative, who is in town, informs us that in addition to Bloomsburg and Danville, the book will also contain the towns of Berwick and Catawissa. Although compiled with the greatest accuracy and more complete than the edition of 1892, the price will remain the same.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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As well as new ones in stock.
At present I have a fine $150 machine for $75. Another $125 machine not run 50 miles for $40.
Also CLEVELANDS, $100 to $125.

LOVELS, $50 to $125.
PEERLESS, $100.
ENVOY, $75.

OPPOSITE POST-OFFICE. W. S. RISHTON.

The front of Pursel & Harman's store has been re-painted.

Charles C. Harrison, Provost of the University of Pennsylvania, has just presented that institution with $500,000 as a memorial to his father.

During the storm on Sunday afternoon, hail fell for a few moments. In some places heavy wind and hail prevailed, doing considerable damage.

A game of baseball will be played at Athletic Park this Friday afternoon between Bloomsburg, and Carbondale state league team. Game called at 3.30.

Openings have been made under the old Presbyterian church to get a circulation of air under the basement floor. It has been too damp for the purposes of the Cummings & Verdy Co.

Judge Hinckley's lecture in Y. M. C. A. Hall last Thursday night on "Good Government" has been highly spoken of by those who heard it. The excessive heat prevented a large attendance.

Bicycle suits or trousers, duck suits or trousers, tennis suits or trousers, bicycle hose, caps, belts, and everything for athletic purposes.
J. M. GIDDING & Co.

In this peculiar year we are learning to fear
The mixing of temperature horrid.
When it is cold, it is very, very cold,
And when it is warm, it is torrid.
—*Pittsburg Dispatch.*

The following letters are advertised May 28, 1895. Mr. Geo. Fry, Miss Ella Gordner, Mr. John Haycock, Mr. Bert. Henrie, Miss Clara Klinger, Mr. Frank Lansing, Mr. John Miller, Mr. J. Snyder, Miss Maud Vincent. Will be sent to the dead letter office June 11, 1895.
JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

The Hazle mines fire, at Hazleton, is now pronounced out. The outbreak occurred on January 25 and was the most expensive as well as most difficult to fight ever experienced in that region. A very conservative estimate of the cost to extinguish it places it at $75,000.

The dedicating exercises of the Evangelical church were well attended on Sunday. The cost of repurchase and repairing was $1400, of which $600 had been raised before last Sunday. At that time there was raised by cash and subscription about $450. About $500 more is needed, and a committee has been appointed to solicit subscriptions.

There will be a moon light picnic, in Laubach's Grove at Forks, Saturday evening June 15th. Ice cream and all the delacacies of the season will be served.

There will also be some recitations, solo's and duets rendered by some elocutionists. Come one, come all or you will miss a grand treat.

Remember Saturday evening June 15th. If the weather should not prove favorable at that time, then it will be the following Tuesday evening.

United States Weather Signals to be Received Here Daily.

J. M. Gidding & Co. have been in communication with the United States Weather Bureau and have at last succeeded in being appointed as agents for the United States Signal Service. The flags foretelling the temperature and weather will be displayed from a flag pole on top of their building every morning, and they will also inform the public daily through the Bloomsburg *Daily*. They receive weather reports direct from Washington daily.

FREDERICK HUMPHREYS, M. D.

Formerly Professor of Institutes of Homeopathy, Pathology, and Medical Practice in the Homeopathic Medical College of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia. Dr. Humphreys is one of the oldest, most celebrated, and distinguished Homeopathic physicians living. He studied with the renowned Dr. Constantine Herring, who was a pupil of the immortal Hahnemann. Thus his knowledge came direct from the fountain-head. He has devoted his life to the treatment and cure of the sick and to the perfection of Humphreys' Specifics, which now stand for all that is good in science and medicine. They are used and relied upon by tens of thousands of families throughout the civilized world. Medical Book—a copy of Dr. Humphreys' Specific Manual of all diseases mailed free on application. Humphreys' Medicine Company, Corner William & John Sts., New York.

Printing in Colors.

The prices of colored printing inks have gone down with everything else, and it costs no more to do printing in colors than it does in black. THE COLUMBIAN office is prepared to print in any of the following colors: Black, orange, deep cherry, brown lake, light blue, ultra marine blue, bronze red, violet, dark red, green, jacqueminot, purple, garnet, peacock blue. Printing in more than one color is done at a slight advance for the additional press work. tf.

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Morris E. Ellenbogen and Miss Martha Hendershott were married on Tuesday afternoon, by Rev. C. H. Brandt, at the residence of Mrs. Amos Savage, sister of the bride. They departed from East Bloomsburg for a wedding trip.

St. Paul's New Choir.

The choir of St. Paul's church has been reorganized, and will sing for the first time on Sunday next. The membership is as follows: Misses Annie Fox, May Blue, Emma Webb, Mary Harman, Helen Warner, Maggie Hendershott, Natalie Foulk; Masters C. Staubach, Frank Zarr, Edward Elwell, John Splain, John Savitts, John Rinker, Leroy Gardner, E. Shutt; Messrs. Pierce Foulk, William Laycock, John Fox, G. E. Elwell, Deforest Hummer, E. H. Harrar, C. F. Hendershott, Louis Bernhard and Mortimer Butler.

Childrens' Day.

A very happy treat is in store for the children and young people of the Lutheran church and all her members next Sunday. The children will have a number of designs, recitations, songs, etc., which with the decorations will be very pretty. Mr. W. H. Brooke, the superintendent, will have charge of the services, assisted by his large corps of teachers and officers. Every effort will be made to comfortably seat everybody, but the front seats will be reserved for the school. In the evening there will be a Christian Endeavor service, in charge of Mr. Frank Traub, president of the society, with short addresses by a representative of each of the young peoples' societies of the town, on their methods of work and study of the Bible.

A Great Offer.

The "Twice-a-Week" edition of the New York *World* (formerly the Weekly) has proved a phenomenal success. It is a Semi-Weekly of six pages, mailed Tuesdays and Fridays; eight columns to the page; forty-eight columns each issue. It gives the news fully half a week ahead of any weekly paper, and, at the same time, retains all the literary, agricultural, miscellany and other features which made the Weekly *World* so popular. Yet the price is only $1.00 a year. For sample copies address THE WORLD, N. Y.

Arrangements have been made by which we can furnish this paper and the Twice-a-Week New York *World* all for $1.75 a year. Take advantage of this offer and get your own local paper and the Twice-a-Week *World* at this special rate. tf.

NEW YORK FASHION LETTER

In the make up of the Summer wardrobe for leaving town, the bicycle gown, or rather the bicycle outfit, is such an important factor that the choice of material and style is a serious question. Mohair or alapaca is a favorite facbric and is equally desirable for street and travelling costume on account of its light weight. Linen, duck and holland in tailor form, with blazer or Eton jacket and dainty cotton or silk shirts are made up for mid summer wear. For cooler days the Norfolk jacket increases in popularity. Mohair also appears in the new bathing costumes and is a serviceable fabric as it does not easily absorb water. The "Trilby" jackets, now so popular, are very pretty in mohair, lined with bright colors and trimmed with revers of velvet or silk. These jackets are made up in the same material of the skirt as well as of pique, embroidery and linen to be worn with wool skirts. Fancy waists are more abundant, more varied and more attractive than ever. The styles, fabrics and trimming with their Dresden and Watteau effects are ideal.

Delicate white toilettes are exquisitely trimmed with Louis XV ribbons and Marie Antoinette berthas. Large Leghorn hats massed with flowers of every hue add the final touch of picturesque effect. In looking over the new Fashion Magazines at hand we find the "Paris Album of Fashion" "La Mode de Paris," "The French Dressmaker" and "La Mode," published by A. McDowell & Co., 4 West Fourteenth Street, New York City, unusually attractive this month.

"La Mode de Paris" and "Paris Album of Fashion" cost $3.50 each for a year's subscription, or 35 cents a copy. "The French Dressmaker" is $3.00 per annum, or 30 cents a copy; and "La Mode" $1.50 a year, or 15 cents a copy. If you are unable to procure either of these journals from your newsdealer don't take any substitute, but apply by mail to Messrs. A. McDowell & Co., 4 West 14th Street, New York City.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company's Summer Excursion Route Book.

THE MOST COMPLETE PUBLICATION OF ITS KIND.

The Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will, on June 1, publish its annual Summer Excursion Route Book. This work, which is compiled with the utmost care and exactness, is designed to provide the public with short descriptive notes of the principal Summer resorts of Eastern America, with the routes for reaching them and the rates of fare. There are over four hundred resorts in the book, to which rates are quoted, and over fifteen hundred different ways of reaching them, or combinations of routes are set out in detail. The book is the most complete and comprehensive handbook of Summer travel ever offered to the public.

Its 210 pages are inclosed in a handsome and striking cover, in colors. Several maps, presenting the exact routes over which tickets are sold, are bound in the book. It is also profusely illustrated with fine half-tone cuts of scenery along the Pennsylvania Railroad and elsewhere.

Any doubt as to where the Summer should be passed will be dispelled after a careful examination of the contents of this publication.

On and after June 1 it may be procured at any Pennsylvania Railroad ticket office at the nominal price of ten cents, or, upon application to the general office, Broad Street Station, by mail for twenty cents.

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Cordellas.

A nice thin material, 30 inches wide, at 12½c yd.

Lappet Silks.

In handsome patterns and shades, they go now at 30c.

White Goods.

Full lines Dimities, Mulls, Dotted Swisses, big line, 12c upwards. New line of fine Pin head Dots today.

White Parasols $1.39 up, Silk Beltings 25c yd. up. Belt Buckles.

Fans! Fans! Fans!

All the newest, all the Best. Fine Fans, common fans. See the Feather Fans and keep cool. Prices the lowest.

Bargains in a lot of Silk Shirt Waists, recent price $3.75, now $2.75, only a few at the price.

American Dimities.

Made by American makers. Intended to be 15c yd., they go at 12½c yd.

Sarsanet Muslin.

Handsome stripes, just the right weight for the hot weather 12½c.

Sepentine Crepes.

The genuine goods, all colors, 12½c.

Summer Corsets 47c. Silk Mitts 25c. White Kid Gloves.

Ribbons of all kinds and colors. See the 50c Pocket Books. Try the 69c Shirt Waist Set.

Underwear.

All the best values from the best makers. See the Ribbed Lisle Vests at 29c, worth 50c, the 5c Vests. Mens' Balbrig gan under wear 25c up.

Wash Laundried Shirt Waists a new lot to-day. See the 70c. Waist.

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Wash Dress Fabrics and White Goods at

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I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

A NEW OFFICE CREATED.

MR FRITZ OPPOSES IT.

The bill creating the office of deputy auditor general at a salary of $3,000 a year passed finally in the house Wednesday by a vote of 163 to twenty-five. The house has completely reversed itself on this measure. Three weeks ago the bill was defeated by a vote of sixty-nine for to ninety-six against. It was subsequently reconsidered and remained undisturbed on the calendar until it was called up by Mr. McClain. Representatives Martin, Focht and Fow, who formerly opposed the bill, advocated its passage and voted for it. They explained that a personal examination of the affairs of the auditor general's department showed the absolute necessity of such an office and contended that there was no good reason for any member voting against it.

Representative Fritz, who has opposed every measure creating a new office or increasing salaries introduced in this legislature, was the only member to raise his voice against it. He said there were already seventeen attaches of the department of the auditor general at an annual cost of $28,000, and contended there was no necessity for this office.

The bill now goes to the governor for his action. There seems to be no doubt but that it will be approved. As soon as the governor has disposed of the proposition Auditor General Mylin will reorganize the force in his department. Colonel John A. Glenn, of Philadelphia, will be appointed deputy; Captain P. D. Bricker, of Jersey Shore, will be retained as corporation clerk, and Sam Matt Fridy, of Lancaster, will succeed Fred. Schober, of Philadelphia, as chief clerk. Other changes will follow.

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VERY IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL SERVICES OVER THE REMAINS OF SECRETARY GRESHAM.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—At 9:30 this morning the body of Secretary Gresham, which had lain in state last evening in the parlor of the apartments in the Arlington annex, was removed from that resting place to the great East room of the White House. It was preceded by such a tribute of flowers as even Washington, the city of flowers, has seldom witnessed. The president and Acting Secretary of State Uhl entered the first carriage to follow the remains, then came Secretary Carlisle and Secretary Lamont, next Attorney General Olney and Postmaster General Wilson, and then Secretaries Herbert, Smith and Morton. The United States troops, headed by the Marine band, formed on Seventeenth street, extending their line to the west gate of the White House. Major General Ruger was in command.

The decorations of the beautiful and spacious East room of the White House, where the funeral services were held, were exceedingly beautiful. The floral offering of the President and Mrs. Cleveland was a large wreath of orchids, white roses, rhododendrons and maiden hair ferns, with a long white silk ribbon attached. The remains reached the executive mansion at 9:40 o'clock. Mrs. Gresham was too ill to accompany them. She fainted repeatedly and was at last removed to her private apartments, where she remained until she left for the railway station. As the casket left the hotel the president and his cabinet formed in double column as a guard of honor on each side. The members of the family who accompanied the cortege to the White House were the dead secretary's only son, Otto Gresham, his sister, Mrs. Andrews, and her husband, and Captain and Mrs. Fuller, the latter being Mrs. Gresham's niece. When the president and cabinet stopped within the portecochere of the White House they again formed a double line between which the casket, followed by the members of the family, passed. Around the casket were gathered representatives of the foreign nations with which the United States maintains diplomatic relations, nearly all in uniforms of brilliant hue.

Exactly at ten o'clock services began with great impressiveness. Bishop Hurst began the funeral service, which was conducted according to the manner of the Methodist Episcopal Church. When he had concluded, a quartette of male voices rendered "Lead Kindly Light," and then Bishop Hurst concluded the simple ceremonies by reading the prayer for the dead. When he had spoken the last words, he turned toward his audience and invited them to view the remains of the dead secretary.

At eleven o'clock the hearse was driven up to the door. The casket, carried by eight sergeants of marines, was then borne to the hearse. It was strewn with flowers. The president and Mrs. Cleveland and the members of the cabinet, with their ladies, entered carriages which left by the western driveway and took places in the procession along the avenue.

The solemn march down the avenue to the Baltimore and Ohio railroad depot was most impressive. When the head of the procession reached the main entrance to the station the cavalry drew up in line and permitted the carriages to pass between them. It was almost noon when the president and the cabinet reached the depot and embarked. Mr. Cleveland plainly showed the effect of his recent illness. His face was flushed and heated and as he stood with bared head the perspiration streamed down his face. Although nothing had been said about it, it was noticed that Dr. O'Reilly attended the president and went to Chicago with the party. It was given out that this was done on Mrs. Gresham's account, but it is believed that the condition of the president himself has as much to do with the presence of the doctor as anything else. No representatives of the press were permitted on board the train.

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In other words, the aunt has made a coward of the girl. I do not like the idea of being in bondage to anybody, whether an aunt or a stranger.

It would seem to me a far better way to feel that one must answer to one's self, and that one would not feel satisfied unless she could look herself in the glass and say: "There, everything is done in the best possible manner, and you cannot find any fault with me to-day. Try to, if you dare!"

I wonder whether you are particular to write notes of thanks very soon after receiving gifts or acts of courtesy? The value of a note of thanks is greatly increased by its being prompt. If some friend leaves a bunch of violets at your door, and you fail to acknowledge it until the flowers have faded, your thanks, when they do come, are tardy. When flowers are sent to those who are ill, they, of course, cannot repay the courtesy by a little note themselves, but some one in the family should do it for them. Your note of thanks should be very genial, showing that you are really pleased by the kind attention and the happier because of it. Do not be afraid to write warmly and cordially on such occasions. If stiff and formal you are unjust both to your friend and yourself.

A Remarkable Cure.

"My little girl who is now 4 years old has been troubled with her eyes since she was three months old. Last summer she had large boils on her head and when they left her the trouble went to her eyes. I was compelled to keep her in a dark room for two months. She got so bad that she could not hold up her head and we took her to an eye hospital, but the professor gave us no hope. On our way home my wife bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. That night she opened one eye for the first time in over a month, the next day she opened it a little more and she continued to gain until now she can see as well as ever. Doctors and others have been surprised by this cure." Robert J. Bell, 922 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Dr. Parkhurst on Woman's Rights.

Certain women are talking a good deal about their rights, writes the Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst, D. D., in a very forcible article defining the position of "Woman Without the Ballot," in the June *Ladies' Home Journal*. It seems to me that one of their most precious and conspicuous rights is to go in among the down trodden women of our cities and towns, who have even fewer rights than they, and by the touch of their own womanly vigor create within them the inspiration of a clearer vision and a larger hope. There will be no need of legislation or of amended constitution in order to the extension to them of this opportunity. There are tens of thousands of women in the city of New York who are as ignorant of the true genius of American institutions and of the spirit of American civilization as though they were living in another century and under the pressure of a Russian or Turkish despotism. And these women are sensitive to the touch of amelioratlng influence. That was phenomenally demonstrated here last autumn. I am not antagonizing female suffrage, but the fact remains that women have a great many more rights than they are using, and are standing at the threshold of innumerable doors of opportunity into which they have not yet entered. The improvement of social conditions is a very serious and discouraging business. It is to be effected only by the medium of personal agency, and for that kind of ministry one woman is the equivalent of ten men.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Where Is the Soul Located?

At different periods in history since men first became imbued with the idea that human beings were possessed of souls, various ideas have been advanced as to the exact spot which that intangible something claims as its seat. Within the past thousand years reputed authorities on psychology have located it in widely separated sections of the brain, as well as in several other organs of the body, such as the heart, liver, spleen and spinal cord. Five or six years ago, in 1889, I believe, Dr. A. H. Stevens gave the world his views on the subject, declaring that he believed it to be situated in that portion of the brain known to the anatomists as the corpus callosum.

More than 1,500 years before the west coast speculative philosopher above mentioned startled the world with his announcement of the discovery of the soul's seat, it was believed in Greece, Rome and Egypt that it was located in the pineal gland of the brain. This gland is a little sac containing calcareous grit, and for which the physiologists have not discovered any particular use. The discussion of the subject is an interesting one, but it is plain that it is a matter wholly within the unknowable and undiscoverable.—*St. Louis Republic.*

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Mrs. Jennie Rennie of Virgil, N. Y., had been sick for a year or more with overflow of the gall and ulcers of the stomach. Her physician told her she could not live. Mrs. Rennie's mother had found such benefit from the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, that she persuaded her daughter to use it, which she did, with the result that it cured her of these diseases, and she says she was never as well as now. 2t.

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"I want more." And Frances pouted.

"You can't have more now; but here is a wish-bone that you and mamma can pull. That will be fun. You pull one side, and I'll pull the other; and whoever gets the longer end can have her wish come true. Why, baby, you've got it! What was your wish, Frances?"

"I wish for some more chichen," said Frances, promptly.

She got it this time.—*Christian Register.*

An Odd Collection.

A man in Colorado has a quaint collection of bottles. It is divided into two sections. Section one is large. Section two is not. Section one contains hundreds of bottles, the contents of which his wife swallowed hoping to find relief from her physical sufferings. Section two contains a few bottles that once were filled with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It was this potent remedy that gave the suffering wife her health again. It cures all irregularities, internal inflammation and ulceration, displacements and kindred troubles. It has done more to relieve the sufferings of women than any other medicine known to science.

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A STUDY OF MOLECULES.

Authorities at Variance About Certain Causes.

The modern conception of the universe itself is based on the molecule. This is the smallest mass into which a substance is capable of being subdivided without changing its chemical nature, but in compounds the molecule itself is divisible into the ultimate particles, known as atoms, of the constituent elements. Every material body consists of these molecules, separated often by distances that are vast in comparison with their own magnitudes, and endowed with rapid and ceaseless motion. Molecules must ever remain invisible, if, as Sir William Thomson (Lord Kelvin) calculated some years ago, their sizes are limited between 1-250,000,000 and 1-5,000,000,000th of an inch. Ruled lines somewhat closer than 1-100,000th of an inch have been resolved under the microscope, but much more is not to be expected, as the difficulties with high powers increase to a much greater degree than the minuteness of the objects seen. The motion of molecules in gases is unconfined and easily demonstrated, but in liquids, not to mention solids, the particles are held together by the power of cohesion and appear inert. Yet the motion of fluid molecules has been made perceptible. In 1827 Dr. Robert Brown, looking through a microscope at some pollen grains suspended in water, was astonished to notice a constant motion—oscillatory, rotary and travelling—of the smaller particles; and this motion, known at first as the Brownian movement, and called later Pedesis, has since been found to be common to all minute particles of solid matter. Vermillion, gamboge and pumicestone are especially active, particles larger than about 1-5000th of an inch remaining inert. The movement is not due to evaporation, as it has been known to continue for years in a small quantity of fluid inclosed in an air-tight case, and it has even been observed in the fluids sealed in quartz of the oldest rocks, where the particles have probably been dancing for aeons. Other causes have been assigned, such as gravitation, currents in the containing fluid, light, heat, electricity, magnetism and the molecular energy of the particles themselves. These causes have been studied by a number of scientific men, the last being Mr. R. Meade Bache. This observer finds that all the explanations mentioned may be rejected, and that the phenomenon is one "of water and of water only," being due to molecular motion of the water itself, revealed to the senses, just as the flow of a deep river is made perceptible by a floating log.—Invention.

The Genuine Dutch.

Mr. H. H. de Vos is president of the genuine Holland Dutch—not the imitation Knickerbocker Dutch—society of New York, and it was a good thing and a true thing that he said at its annual banquet. He has the right to boast, and so has every other genuine Dutchman, that the red, white and blue of the flag of Holland has stood for liberty for centuries. If it had not been so, the red, white and blue of the American flag might have been meaningless.

At a time when England and France denied free speech to scientists, liberals and men of progress, when the Tories of all Europe were bent on making a last desperate stand against advancement, Holland was the only refuge of freedom in Europe. It was from Holland that the apostles of progress worked to liberate the world. English books of that time which could not be printed in England have in them typographical errors so characteristically Dutch that any one who does not know history might laugh at them. But those who do know history never see one of them without an inclination to take off their hats to Holland, as the nursery—the home of the first free press that ever existed in the world.

It is because New York was a Dutch settlement that it always showed a spirit of liberality which does not characterize some other sections of America more or less remote from it. And if the descendants of the New York Dutch ever feel inclined to dishonor the traditions of their ancestors let them go to the genuine Holland Dutch and learn better.—New York World.

Putting on New Gloves.

In putting on new gloves, do so carefully, for their after-wear depends very much on the way they are treated from the very beginning. Never put on gloves when you are in a hurry and just going out; rather choose another time, when your hands are cool and you have ten minutes or so to devote to them. Before beginning operations dust a little powder into each glove, for this will cause them to slip on more easily. Work the fingers well on before putting in the thumb; then work that in slowly, gradually smoothing the kid onto the hand. When the glove is carefully put on pull it well down and button the second button, and any others that there are, with the exception of the first, leaving the first button until the last. If the hands are hot, remove the gloves, and then turn them inside out, pulling them carefully into shape and leaving them in the air for an hour or two before laying them away.

A glove-stretcher will be found of assistance in the preparation of new gloves for wear. It must, however, be used with discretion, since it is quite as annoying to have a glove that is too large as one that is too small. In buying gloves always provide yourself with a spool of sewing silk or linen thread for mending, exactly the color of the gloves.

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Blue vitriol (sulphate of copper), is the principal substance used as a fungicide. Dissolve six pounds in four gallons of hot water and then dilute to sixteen gallons. Shake four pounds of lime in six gallons of water, in a separate vessel, and when cool strain it into the copper solution. Use wooden vessels and apply the solution immediately after mixing. This is known as the "Bordeaux mixture." Another copper solution, known as "Eau Celeste," is made by dissolving two pounds of copper sulphate in four gallons of water, adding three pints of ammonia, and then diluting to fifty gallons, applying as soon as made. "Ammoniacal copper solution" is made by using carbonate of copper, instead of the sulphate, and carbonate of ammonia. Dissolve three ounces of carbonate of copper in a gallon of water and a pound of carbonate of ammonia in the same quantity of water, separately. Mix, and dilute to fifty gallons, applying when mixed.

For insects the kerosene emulsion is mostly used. Shave one pound of hard soap in half a gallon of boiling water and when the soap is dissolved remove the boiling water from the fire and add half a gallon of kerosene, churning briskly with the force pump of the sprayer for fifteen minutes until the mixture has the appearance of thick cream. Kerosene will not mix with water, but will form an emulsion with soap. Now add slowly, stirring well, from ten to fifteen gallons of water, according to the strength desired. It will keep any length of time, and destroys insects on trees and plants, as well as fleas, lice, etc., and does not injure plants like unadulterated kerosene, being also much cheaper. A gill of spirits of turpentine will improve the emulsion if added at the time of adding the kerosene. An efficient sprayer should throw a fine, mist-like spray, and the spray should spread over a large surface, so as to enable one to do the work quickly and thoroughly.

An 86-Pound Potato.

Eastern people know little of the size of potatoes that are grown in the West. The enclosed cut is a copy of a photograph showing Farmer J. B.

Swan, of Loveland, and his prize potato. The tuber was 28 inches long, and weighed 86 pounds. On one acre of land in Larimer county last year Mr. Swan produced 25,816 pounds or 430 bushels and 16 pounds of potatoes.

Keeping Horses Idle.

A fault in handling farm horses, of which not a few of us are guilty, is to keep them idle much of the time. If work is properly managed horses can be used 234 days of the year. Ground can be plowed in the fall, fence material be hauled in place, wood be sledded up and gullies be filled in the winter. When work is so managed, less horses will suffice than when their work is put into 180 days of the year. I find that our horses work on an average of above 230 days of the year and have lasted an average of fifteen years. —Country Gentleman.

Weed the Herd.

Sell the poor cows and buy no others unless you know all about them. Farmers lose more money by buying fresh cows than from any other source. They cannot judge of the capacity or disposition of the animal until it has been tested; and disease may be brought in a herd unknowingly. When the foundation of a herd rests upon breeding, and the farmer patiently waits until he has secured cows of his own breeding, the road to success will then be easier.

The Rule of Ten.

Ten hens in a house that is 10 feet square, with yards 10 times the size of the house, is a rule to go by. Ten hens with one male is the correct mating, and 10 eggs under a sitting hen in winter are enough. Ten weeks are long enough to keep a broiler before it goes to market. A pair of ducks or fowls should weigh not over 10 pounds; 10 cents per pound is near the average price for fowls in market, and 10 cents should feed a hen one month.

A WILD CHARGE.

The Lone Soldier Dashed Through a Regiment Unscathed.

Some of the most amusing stories are those which have a serious side. An old Confederate soldier the other day told a story that is very laughable in these days of peace. It was after John Morgan was made a general that a company was formed of some of his old squadron who had just returned from Camp Chase, where for some time they had been imprisoned. The company had been formed by a man named Quirk, a reckless, daring fellow, and a stranger to fear. The company went by the name of Quirk's Scouts.

At this time the company was down in Middle Tennessee, and was skirmishing around for a fight, when they suddenly came upon a regiment of Federal cavalry. In a short time the two bodies of soldiers were standing face to face, and the bullets were flying thick and fast through the air. The fight that followed was a desperate one, and each side seemed determined to stand its ground. Suddenly, as the fight was at its hottest, a horse was seen to dash out of the Confederate line, and start in a direct line for the Yankee regiment. On the horse's back was a man named English, who was leaning back in his saddle and pulling with all his might in a futile effort to stop his frightened horse. The animal was yellow in color, and in running took long and clumsy jumps. The rider finally saw that he could not stop the animal, and he made up his mind to make the best of his situation. He leaned forward in his saddle until his head almost touched his horse's neck and his hands clapsed the bridle near the bit. Even the rider's ears seemed pinned back, so great was his effort to make himself as small as possible. His face was as pale as death. On went the animal toward the regiment turning neither to the right nor left, and closer did the rider keep to the animal's body.

The Yankees saw the horse with its rider making straight for them, and they were seized with consternation. Some of the soldiers ceased firing and looked excitedly at the maddened animal flying toward them. In a short while he reached the regiment, but did not stop. The federals almost fell upon each other in their effort to get away from the horse's heels, and a regular panic followed. The animal went plunging through the centre of the regiment, foaming at the mouth, and with head down. The horse and rider dashed on through the entire regiment, and the Yankees kept making way for them all down the entire line. Not a shot was fired until he had gotten out of range, and then nearly half the regiment, who had managed to recover themselves from their astonishment, fired at a cloud of dust rising in the air, but the horse and rider were at a safe distance.

The horse made a complete circle, returning to the confederate company in safety. When the rebels saw their comrade had returned without a scratch from such a dangerous ride, they almost forgot the fight before them, and there went up a great cheer. —Louisville Courier Journal.

Odd-Minute Societies.

Some of those enthusiasts for work who delight to leave no second unoccupied and who regard it as a crime "to loaf and invite one's soul" have organized odd-minute societies. The Odd Minute Society, as its name implies, is an organization formed for the purpose of turning every leisure moment to account. Some of the clubs are given to philanthropic work, and their members are pledged to have on hand some work for the poor to occupy any chink of the day which regular duties leave unoccupied. Others are given to self-development, and odd seconds are devoted to reading or language study.

The odd-minute club is evidently an organization capable of use and abuse. The woman whose daylight hours are really full of work should shun such a society as she would the plague. A busy woman's odd minutes should be assiduously devoted to doing nothing but feeling how good a thing it is to rest. A woman whose day is not apportioned carefully, but between whose many and varying duties gaps occur may find membership in these odd-minute societies really valuable.—New York World.

Luxury.

In St. Augustine, the other day, I asked the colored man who was driving us about Mr. Flagler.

"I reckon Mase'r Flagler's de richest man in de hull world," he said. "I don't reckon no king is ez rich ez he. He owns mos' eberyt'ing in Florida.

"How did he get so much money?" I asked.

"Deed, boss, I could neber jes' fin' out 'bout dat, an' it has 'plexed me considerable. I donan't reckon any one man could 'arn so much money all by his self, an' so I s'pose he mus' a got some with his wife w'en he married."

"What would you do with it if you had as much money as Mr. Flagler?"

"Ha! ha! ha!" he laughed, at the absurdity of the suggestion, and then he said: "I'd buy he libery stable at St. Augustine an' de libery stable at Jacksonville, an' I'd buy de railroad from hyar to Jacksonville, an' I'd ride back and fort' all de time on de kars." —Chicago Record.

The Rothschilds Fortune.

The fortune of the Rothschilds has often been mentioned in print, but the Paris Signal gives some new and interesting information about it. According to this authority, the total wealth of the Rothschild family at the present time amounts to 10,000,000,000 francs, of which the French branch possesses 1,000,000,000. In 1875 they had less than half this sum, showing that their fortune has doubled in 18 years. In 1800 the grandfather of the present generation of Rothschilds had nothing, his financial success beginning after the battle of Waterloo. It is estimated that in 1965 their fortune will, if continuing to grow as heretofore, amount to the stupendous sum of 300,000,000,000 francs. The interest on this capital would be sufficient to sustain 37,000,000 people, that is, the entire present population of France.

RECEIVER'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, the undersigned Receiver of the Bloomsburg Iron Co., will sell at public sale on the premises at Irondale, in the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pa., on

SATURDAY, JUNE 15, 1895,

at 1:30 o'clock P. M., the entire Furnace Plant of the Bloomsburg Iron Co., with its water power and water rights, known as "Irondale" and bounded and described as follows:

Situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone in line of land of the Bloomsburg Water Company and the most northerly corner to land of the Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad Company, thence by land of said Railroad Company south 59¼ degrees east, four and thirty-five one hundredths perches to a corner, thence by land of Rosemont Cemetery Company, north 25 degrees east, eleven perches, thence north 8¼ degrees east, six and twenty-four one-hundredths perches to a corner of land of Mrs. C. R. Richart, thence along the same North 2 degrees West, six and six one-hundredths perches, thence north 16 degrees west, five and fifteen one-hundredths perches to a stone, thence south 78¾ degrees east, five and seventy-six one-hundredths perches, thence north 76¾ degrees east, one and seven-tenths perches to a corner in middle of the public road leading from Bloomsburg to Millville and a corner of land heretofore sold to Mathias Shaffer, thence along said land north 8¼ degrees west eight perches, thence north 56 degrees west eight perches, thence north 33 degrees west, fourteen perches, thence north 24 degrees west twenty-nine and four-tenths perches, thence north 66 degrees east four perches, thence north 24 degrees west, nine perches, thence south 66 degrees west four perches, thence north 35¾ degrees west, sixty perches, thence North 3½ degrees west thirty-eight and eight-tenths perches, thence by land now of Barton Shaffer south 58¾ degrees west twenty-eight and two-tenths perches to a post on the east bank of head race, thence along said race and by lands of Barton Shaffer north 43¾ degrees west nineteen and one-tenth perches to a water birch, thence north 36¼ degrees west nine and four-tenths perches to a willow, thence north 65¾ degrees west eight and seven-tenths perches to a post, thence north 47¼ degrees west twelve and seven-tenths perches to a sycamore, thence north 35¾ degrees west nine and two-tenths perches to a white pine, thence north 28¾ degrees west six and four-tenths perches to a post, thence north 68¾ degrees west five perches to a water birch, thence north 39 degrees west sixteen and three-tenths perches to a white oak, thence north twenty-four and three-fourths degrees west nine and eight-tenths perches to a horn beam, thence north 10¼ degrees west eleven and six-tenths perches to a water birch, thence north 4¼ degrees west, nine and six-tenths perches to a maple, thence north 3¾ degrees east three and nine-tenths perches to a pine, thence north 44 degrees east ten and six-tenths perches to a pine, thence north 5¾ degrees east eight and three-tenths perches to an iron bar, a corner to land of Simon C. Shaffer, thence crossing said head race north 60½ degrees west six perches to a point in land of E. W. M. Low, thence by the same south 29½ degrees west, twenty-eight and five-tenths perches to a post at east rail of the Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad, thence north 57 degrees west forty-three perches, thence south 60 degrees west sixteen perches to corner of F. P. Brinker, thence south 33 degrees east twenty-six and four-tenths perches, thence south 30¾ degrees east thirty-four and six-tenths perches, thence south 13½ degrees east seventy and seven-tenths perches, thence south 44½ degrees east fifty-four and seven-tenths perches, thence south 57¾ degrees east seventy-four perches, thence south 36¼ degrees east nineteen and five-tenths perches, thence south 28¾ degrees east, forty-four and two-tenths perches, thence south 2¾ degrees west twelve and seven-tenths perches, thence south 42¾ degrees west forty-two and three-tenths perches, thence south 29 degrees east three perches, thence north 87½ degrees east ten and five-tenths perches, thence north 55½ degrees east one and one-half perches, thence north 19 degrees west two perches, thence north 51¾ degrees east nineteen and one-tenth perches, thence north 47½ degrees east six perches, thence north 45 degrees east twenty-seven perches, thence north 30 degrees 35 minutes east twenty-two and three-tenths perches, thence by lands of Bloomsburg Water Company south 8¾ degrees west eight perches, thence north 2¾ degrees west seven and one-tenth perches, thence north 31¾ degrees west twenty four and four-tenths perches, thence north 60 degrees east seventeen perches to right-of-way of Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad Company, thence along same and parallel therewith a distance of forty perches, more or less, thence south 88¼ degrees east two and seven-tenths perches to place of beginning, containing

100 ACRES, more or less.

Together with the right to all the water power and water rights, privileges and appurtenances upon and over each of the several premises heretofore conveyed by the said The Bloomsburg Iron Company and reserved thereout for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and intended and the right of maintaining and continuing the dam heretofore erected for the use of the furnace of the said The Bloomsburg Iron Company where the same is now erected and constructed and the rights of carrying or conveying the water from Fishingcreek through, upon and over the lands and premises as reserved by the said The Bloomsburg Iron Company many and every of the conveyances of the said Company as fully and completely as the same are now held and enjoyed by the said The Bloomsburg Iron Company, on which are erected a large

IRON FURNACE

and Cast House, a large two-story stone Mansion house, a two-story stone Superintendent's house, twenty-three tenement houses, a large two-story stone store building, brick wheel house, brick engine house and engine, boiler house and boilers, three ware houses, carpenter shop, a large three-story stone building in course of erection, weigh scale office with wagon scales, railroad scales and office, together with stables and other outbuildings.

The above water power is one of the finest in the State. This plant is situated in the suburbs of the Town of Bloomsburg, is on the line of the B. & S. R. R. and is well located for any manufacturing purposes.

ALSO:

one other certain lot of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, county and State aforesaid bounded and described as follows to-wit: on the north by land of I. W. McKelvy, on the east by an alley, on the south by land of Thomas Gorrey and on the west by Railroad street.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, one-fourth within thirty days thereafter and the balance within six months from day of sale with interest on all unpaid purchase money from day of sale.

ALSO:

At the same time and place will be exposed to public sale, the following valuable Personal Property to-wit: Lot of No. 2 x and No. 3 pig iron, 31 railroad lime stone cars, 2 railroad cinder trucks, 2 cinder carts, 2 horse carts, 1 heavy 2 horse wagon, 2 sleighs, lot team harness, lot blacksmith tools, lot pine lumber, lot oak lumber, lot fire brick, old and new, lot merchant bar iron, lot merchant bar steel, lot nails and spikes in kegs, lot horse shoes in kegs, 1 five ton wagon scale boxed, ropes, blocks and tackles, chains, cross cut saw, augers, sledges, picks, new shovels and spades, platform scales, lot new hemp rope, stove pipe, clocks, lamp chimneys, window glass, office furniture, and all other personal property on the premises.

Terms of sale of personal property made known on day of sale.

H. A. M'KILLIP,
Receiver of the Bloomsburg Iron Co.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Margaret Kostenbauder, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution of said estate, will sit at the office of Rhawn & Small, in the borough of Catawissa, on Monday, June 24th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

5-24-ta. FRED IKELER, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Davis, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution in said estate, will sit at the office of L. S. Wintersteen, Esq., in Bloomsburg, on Tuesday, June 25, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

5-24-ta. FRANK IKELER, Auditor

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Alias Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pa. and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 1895,

at 10 a. m.

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the township of Scott, county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning in the middle of Big Fishingcreek, thence by land conveyed by John Barton to David Phillips south nine degrees east three perches to a corner on south bank of creek, thence by land now or late of Andrew Creveling, south fifty-two degrees east fifteen perches to a stone, thence north seventy-three and one half degrees east nine perches to a stone, formerly a hemlock, thence north four degrees west three and eight-tenths perches to a stone, formerly a maple, thence by the same north sixty degrees west seven and five-tenths perches to corner in Fishingcreek, thence westwardly down said creek to the place of beginning, containing

3 ACRES OF LAND,

more or less, whereon is erected a

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Seized taken into execution at the suit of Benson H. Creveling exr. vs. L. N. Crouse, and to be sold as the property of L. N. Crouse.

WINTERSTEEN, Atty. J. B. McHENRY, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 1895,

at 10 a. m., all that certain tract of land situate lying and being in the township of Pine, county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a post and stone corner of Elias Mendenhall, thence along line of same south seventy-two degrees and thirty-seven minutes east three hundred and eleven and five-tenth perches to a post, thence north nineteen and one degree east eleven and three-tenth perches, thence along line of lands of D. F. Evernard north seventy-one degrees west forty-nine and three-tenth perches to a post and stone, thence north twenty-two and one-fourth degrees west two-hundred and fifty-two and two-tenth perches to a stone and post, thence along line of lands of Marsh Andrews, now Catharine Miller, north seventy-two degrees and fourteen minutes west, west ninety-five perches to a dead white pine, thence along line of lands of Aaron Keller south nineteen and one-fourth degrees west two hundred and six and one half perches to place of beginning, containing

240 ACRES,

and seventy-six perches of land, be the same more or less, on which is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

bank barn and other outbuildings. Good spring water at the house and well at the barn. Also different kind of fruit trees growing upon said premises, which is about one half cleared in high state of cultivation and the remainder well timbered.

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SNYDER, Atty. Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Rev. M. Powers, late of the Borough of Centralia, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Rev. M. Powers, late of the Borough of Centralia, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

REV. JOHN J. KOCH,
5-17-6t. Shamokin, Pa., Administrator.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Peter A. Cole, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to distribute balance in the hands of Mahala Cole, executrix, will sit at the office of Grant Herring, Esq., in Bloomsburg, on Thursday, June 6, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

5-17-4t. C. A. SMALL, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Richard Thompson, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of said estate, will sit at the office of C. B. Jackson Esq., in Berwick, on Saturday, June 15th, 1895, at 10 a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund

C. W. MILLER,
5-17-4t. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Phineas Smith, deceased.

The undersigned an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of said estate will sit at his office in Berwick, on Saturday, July 13th, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

C. B. JACKSON,
5-17-4t. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Eck, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to determine the amount of recognizance, counsel fee, collateral inheritance tax, and costs, and to make calculation of amounts due the parties legally entitled thereto, will sit at the office of C. C Evans, Esq., in Berwick, Pa., on Wednesday, June 26th, 1895, when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

FRED IKELER, Auditor.
5-24-ta.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Phoebe F. Osmun, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of said estate, will sit at the office of C. E. Geyer, in the borough of Catawissa, on Friday, June 7, 1895, at 10 a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

C. A. SMALL, Auditor.
5-24-ta.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Miles Shuman, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution in said estate, will sit at the office of C. E. Geyer, in the borough of Catawissa, on Monday, June 10, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said estate.

W. H. RHAWN, Auditor.
5-24-ta.

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SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. June 2.

The lost Pacific Mail steamship Colima had on board $160,000 of treasure, shipped to Mazatlan from the house of the Melchers, Echegueven & Co. It is insured in London and Germany.

Until the depth of the water in which the steamer went down was positively known two diving plants and two steamers belonging to Hidalgo & Co. and the Cornego Company, of La Paz, were kept waiting to attempt the recovery of this treasure.

Third Officer Hansen, of the ill-fated vessel sends some gruesome details of the disaster. The heaviest squall of all those experienced came after the steamer had foundered and while passengers and crew were struggling in the water. The force of the gale at this time was dreadful. Many were washed from the wreckage to which they clung. Some were killed or rendered unconscious by being struck by timbers, which were dashed about with resistless fury. Rafts and boats were overturned. Had it not been for this squall many more would undoubtedly have been saved.

The gale drove rafts and wreckage before it with great rapidity. Mr. Hansen saw a raft pass at 6.30 P. M. on the day of the disaster. On it were three men. They drifted away fast and were soon lost to view. He also saw a raft on which were Mr. Chilberg and six others. These men had two oars and seemed to be making for shore. Mr. Hansen also saw a boat in which was First Officer Griffiths and four or five men. When last seen this boat was trying to pick up the purser, but it was not seen again, and is supposed to have been swamped in the heavy sea.

Sutherlane and Hansen both tell harrowing stories of the misery they witnessed while keeping themselves afloat. Many bodies which floated past them were entirely nude. Either the clothing had been torn off by the fury of the wind and waves or the victims had been too ill or too terrified to leave their beds until the last, and had then rushed upon deck clad only in their chamber robes. Apparently the children were all drowned in the cabins.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Bills Passed Finally.

The following House bills were passed on Tuesday, and were sent to the governor for his consideration. Providing for the filing of reports of viewers; granting an annuity to Howard J. Erisman, of Marietta; requiring the payment of a bonus by corporations upon the renewal of their charters and upon corporations hereafter incorporated; authorizing county commissioners to sell to actual settlers and convey unseated lands belonging to the several counties; legalizing the dehorning of cattle; repealing the act for the preservation of the records of the inspection of mines in Schuylkill and Luzerne counties; appropriating $129,000 to the Western penitentiary; appropriating $104,000 to the Eastern penitentiary; appropriating $25,000 to the Cottage state hospital in Connellsville; appropriating $583,32 for salary of the secretary of agriculture; for the support of the National Guard, $700,000; current expenses of the state board of health, $12,000; expenses of the Chickamauga Chatanooga battlefield commission, $500; for the erection of monuments to Pennsylvania organizations engaged in the battles of Chickamauga, Wauhatchie, Brown's Ferry, Orchard Knob, Lookout Mountain, Missionary Ridge and Ringgold, $25,500; Harrisburg state lunatic hospital, $37,500; George R. Hoopes, sergeant.at arms of the house in 1891, $171, William H. Ulrich, late prothonotary of Dauphin county, for costs and fees due him by the commonwealth in cases in which the commonwealth was plaintiff, $936,55; Mercer hospital for injured persons $9,000; deficiency in the salary of the auditor general, $75; authorizing the continued employment of two additional clerks in the adjutant general's office; for the care of indigent insane, $1,000,000; for the deficiency in the mine inspectors' salaries, 29,000; granting an increased pension to Mrs. Mary A. Harris, widow of William Harris, a soldier of the war of 1812; deficiency in the salary of the superintendent of public instruction $3,000; relieving real estate agents from the provisions of the act for the extinguishment of the state debt; for the protection of game in Bedford county; to enable city, county, township, ward, school and borough tax collectors to collect taxes, for the payment of which they have become personally liable, without having collected the same, by expiration of the authority of their respective warrants, and to extend the time for the collection of the same for a period of one year; Western home for poor children of Philadelphia, $2,000; Nautical school ship at Philadelphia, $24,000; expenses of elections committee in contested cases in 1892. $5,000; State hospital for injured persons at Blossburg, $17,500; to George R. Hoopes for services rendered elections committee in 1893. $7,126 76; soldiers' and sailors' home at Erie, $198,000; an emergency fund for the suppression of epidemics, $50,000; salaries of commissioners of banking and deputy, $2,479; for purchase of books and maps for supreme court, $4,000; Industrial reformatory at Huntington, $126,000; for the protection and propogation of fish, $30,000; state library, $15,000; state hospital for injured persons of the middle coal field, $42,000; salary of secretary of internal affairs, $375; Western temporary home of Philadelphia, $3,000; to amend an act to prevent persons from unlawfully using or wearing the insignia or rosette of the military order of the Loyal Legion of the United States or the badge or button of the Grand Army of the Republic or the badge or shield of the Union Veteran Legion; relating to the use of oils or other products for illuminating purposes in the anthracite and bituminous coal mines; punishing the printing, posting and distributing of any libelous circular or poster or other written or printed paper; to provide for the appointment of inspectors by the governor for the cities of the first and second class to inspect scales, weights and measures.

These house bills passed with amendments and were returned to the house for concurrence: Requiring tax collectors to give a number of tax receipts from a book to be furnished by the county commissioners, containing a correspondingly numbered stub and requiring sheet setting forth name, amount of tax paid and number of receipt to be sent ten days before each election to the county commissioners for public inspection; authorizing companies incorporated under the laws of any other state for the manufacture of glue or any other articles of commerce or material which may be manufactured from the waste products of tanneries or slaughter houses or for the manufacture of any kind of acids or other chemicals therefrom to erect and maintain buildings and manufacturing establishments and to hold real estate necessary therefor; to prohibit the adulteration of milk by the addition of so-called preservatives; appropriating $23,000 to the Danville hospital; providing that none but citizens of the United States shall be employed in any capacity in the erection, enlargement or improvement of any public building or public work; to return to A. C. Patterson three hundred and five dollars paid by him into the state treasury through the department of internal affairs.

The bill amending the act regulating the manner of increasing municipal indebtedness was defeated on final passage, yeas twenty; nays twelve, less than a constitutional majority voting for it,

The bill providing for the sale of certain lands belonging to the state where channels or parts of channels of navigable streams have been abandoned for purposes of navigation was indefinitely postponed on motion of Senator Grady. This kills it.

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SCHOOLS TO BE INVESTIGATED.

Senator Kennedy on Tuesday presented in the senate a preamble and resolution providing for the appointment of a committee consisting of the president protem, and six senators to examine fully the general and special laws of the state relating to and regulating the various common school districts and sub districts and to examine fully the workings thereof and their defects; to inquire as to the best, most practical, useful and economical mode of managing and controlling them; the annual expense incurred in the maintenance of the schools; the manner of raising and expending the money necessary; the character of studies prescribed and books used; the buildings erected and upon what plan; the internal and external arrangements for safety, comfort and health; the character of the persons employed and elected in the management of the schools; the amounts annually raised and expended; the system regulating the keeping and expending of public money; the depositories in which kept; the security furnished; the system adopted in providing for school buildings, books and supplies; how contracts are made and public work awarded; the best method for securing a just and equitable distribution of the state's appropriation and of a return in expenditure commensurate with the large sums appropriated and raised.

The committee is empowered to send for books and papers and employ such assistants as may be necessary. The resolution provides that a report shall be made to the next legislature with such suggestions as to necessary legislation as the result of the investigation may indicate to be advisable. The committee was at once appointed as follows: Senators Kennedy, Brown, Fruit, Snyder, Walton, Green and Thomas.

CORBETT-FITZSIMMONS.

A TEXAS SYNDICATE POSTS $41,000 AND THE FIGHT WILL LIKELY COME OFF IN OCTOBER.

The New York *Herald* of June 2 says that there is now little doubt that the long delayed battle between James J. Corbett and Robert Fitzsimmons will take place in Dallas, Texas, in the fall. "Dan" Stewart, the representative of the syndicate of Texans who have put up the money to bring off the match, arrived in this city yesterday and showed certified checks to the amount of $41,000—the size of the purse for which Fitzsimmons and Corbett are to fight. This money Mr. Stewart is prepared to post with the stakeholder at a moment's notice, as a guarantee that the event be decided in the Lone Star State and that every contract made by him will be faithfully carried out. According to Mr. Stewart there is no law in Texas that will in any way prevent the meeting. "The contest," said Mr. Stewart last evening, "will be scheduled for decision in the second or fourth week in October."

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